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By The Associated Press

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There was rejoicing in Bethlehem and Christian communities around the world in celebration of the anniversary of Jesus Christ's birth.

Religious rites were largely completed with midnight services.

The shopping rush — which in many areas reached record proportions—was spent.

Around the globe, a white Christmas was a rarity.

In the United States, snow was expected only in the Rocky Mountains and in a narrow band stretching from the Dakotas across the Great Lakes to Pennsylvania and New York.

Europe's weather was unseasonably mild. Only the Alps had a mantle of white. Most of the continent had cloudy skies, with some mist, rain and fog. Rain mingled with snow in Moscow, where Westerners' celebrations centered at their embassies.

In the summer Yuletide south of the equator, many planned Christmas dinner out of doors on the beaches, in the country or in the mountains.

London Tradesmen Happy

West European shopkeepers checked with satisfaction the receipts of Christmas sales that had zoomed to all-time highs. London tradesmen happily reported seasonal business up seven per cent over a year ago.

Even in crisis-wracked Berlin, shoppers were out in record numbers on both sides of the Iron Curtain. West Berliners fervently hoped this would not be their last Christmas in freedom.

West German Chancellor Konrad Adenauer said, "The German people live through Christmas tide under the pressure of sharp attacks on freedom from the East," but he said he was convinced peace can be secured if the West stands patient and firm.

Traffic-blocking crowds in Australian cities poured the equivalent of more than 150 million dollars across counters in a record Christmas spending spree.

Christmas In Japan

There was a big Christmas Eve turnout also in Japan, where Christians are in a small minority. Police said some 650,000 Japanese jammed downtown Tokyo, crowding theaters and restaurants. They sang such songs as "Jingle Bells" and "Silent Night."

Contrasts in attitude within the Communist sphere were shown by separate developments in Warsaw and in Moscow.

In the Polish capital, workmen raised a Christmas tree three stories high directly across the street from the Polish Communist party's headquarters.

In Moscow, the party theoretical journal Kommunist called for an intensification of atheist propagandato "release the minds of the people from the survivals of religion." Radio Moscow broadcast that to the world.

The Russian Yuletide is at the celebration of New Year's, when a Santa Claus called Grandfather Frost appears. The Communist regimes of Romania, Bulgaria and Albania follow suit.

Poland, Czechoslovakia, East Germany and Hungary are satellites which observe the traditional Western Christmas. Their situation is somewhat improved this year, though shortages still exist. Shipments of oranges, dates, figs and bananas from Spain and North Africa have been the sensation of the season.

China Red Guns Silent

Nationalist Chinese gunners on the Quemoy Islands observed the day under orders not to fire unless the Chinese Communists tried to invade.

The Red guns were silent Christmas Eve. This was not out of respect for the occasion, but simply because Dec. 24 is an even-numbered day. The Communists have abstained on even-numbered days and fired on odd-numbered days for the past eight weeks. By Nationalist computation, the Reds have expended 600,267 shells since opening the current offshore war Aug. 23.

In another war, the Greek Nationalist fight against British rule over Cyprus, the underground EOKA scattered leaflets among Christmas shoppers offering a permanent cease-fire provided "the other side does the same." British authorities withheld comment.

No Paper Tomorrow

The Cumberland News will not be published tomorrow due to the Christmas holiday.

Ready For 100th Christmas

Mrs. Rebecca McCann Harmon, of Egeria, W. Va., is shown with some of the gifts she will open today on her 100th Christmas. Mrs. Harmon's 100th birthday was December 23. Her grandfather was a brother of Nancy Hanks, Abraham Lincoln's mother. Egeria is located near Beckley.

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Bridges Says Spending Issue Is Up To Demos

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Sen. Styles Bridges (R-N.H.) said on Wednesday that President Eisenhower's proposed new 77 billion dollar balanced budget puts the spending issue "squarely up to the Democrats."

Bridges, chairman of the Senate Republican Policy Committee, said the President's month-early announcement of a balanced budget was "advance notice" to the predominantly - Democratic 86th Congress that he is determined to hold down spending.

The yearly congressional battle of the budget appeared to be underway weeks earlier than usual. Bridges made his statement in a television interview from New Hampshire as Democrats attacked the validity of the President's proposal.

The President's contemplated spending figure for the 1960 fiscal year represented a three-billion-dollar cut from the estimated 80 billion dollar total for this fiscal year which ends June 30.

The President also estimated 1960 revenues at 77 billion to put the budget narrowly in balance. The government this year was expected to wind up with a deficit of about 12 billion.

Sen. Joseph S. Clark (D-Pa.) called the new budget a "cheapskate program" inadequate for the nation's growth requirements. He proposed an additional five to six billion dollars in outlays with the added cost made up by closing tax loopholes.

But Bridges said that "if Congress wants to take the responsibility of raising it, the President is going to put that squarely on their shoulders."

Key Democrats questioned whether the President could balance the new budget and still avoid a general tax increase. But administration economists counted on recovery from the business recession to boost revenues. The Commerce Department has reported that the economy had climbed back to its pre-recession level.

Nine Die In Crash Of British Airliner

CHRISTCHURCH, England (AP) —A Britannia airliner crashed in a pasture on a training flight near this south coast city Wednesday, killing nine of the 12 persons aboard.

The four-engine turboprop plane of the British Overseas Airways Corp., was on a training flight from London Airport. All the 12 occupants were company employes.

The plane broke out of a dense fog and fell.

Request Granted

PHILADELPHIA (UPI) — Assistant District Attorney Thomas Reed asked a Quarter Session Court judge Wednesday for a three hour recess in a trial. The reason: Reed was to play the violin in a lawyer's orchestra at a Christmas carol program in Orphans Court. The request was granted.

Quick-Thinking Woman Motorist Saves Youngster

MORRISVILLE, Pa. (AP) — A woman motorist saw a girl struggling in an icy canal Wednesday and drove her car into the water in an effort to save the child.

Blasts from her horn brought a teen-age boy, who rescued the unconscious girl.

The girl, Carol Scheese, 2, of Morrisville, recovered quickly with oxygen treatments.

Carol was playing on the ice of the Pennsylvania Canal, near her home, when she plunged through.

Hazel Lambert of Pennsbury Heights was driving by when she saw the girl's hands. She drove quickly to the spot and her car broke through the ice into the water.

She blew her horn and shouted, attracting the attention of 14-year-old George Taylor. He waded into five feet of water and rescued the child.

Firemen pulled the woman's car from the water. She was unharmed.

U.S. And U.A.R. Sign Wheat Agreement

CAIRO (UPI) — The United States and the United Arab Republic reached accord here Wednesday for resumption of American wheat shipments to Egypt for the first time since the Suez crisis of 1956.

The Egyptians had imported wheat from the Soviet Union since the United States suspended shipments to this country more than two years ago.

Under the agreement signed here Wednesday, the United States will sell the U.A.R. 25 million dollars worth of American wheat and flour. Payment will be in Egyptian pounds.

The shipments—including 200,000 tons of wheat and 100,000 tons of flour — were expected to begin about next March 1 and to be completed within three months.

Today's Chuckle

A colorful girl: one who likes men with blue eyes, brown hair, and greenbacks.

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Russian A-Test Ban Decision Seen By March

WASHINGTON (UPI)—U.S. negotiators believe Russia will agree to a nuclear test ban including controls and inspection by March if there ever is to be such a pact, State Department officials reported Wednesday.

U.S. officials involved in the East-West talks at Geneva said the Russians suddenly changed their attitude early in December and began to talk in earnest about the subjects which led to agreement on the first four articles of the proposed treaty.

The articles included agreement to create a control and inspection organization and assumption of the obligation to cooperate with and assist it. Soviet opposition to inspection has been a major stumbling block in the talks.

The disclosures came after Ambassador James J. Wadsworth, who heads the U.S. delegation at the talks, returned to Washington last week for the Christmas recess. U.S. authorities acknowledged that a good deal of hard bargaining lay ahead when the talks resume Jan. 5.

They listed these major hurdles:

—How to set up a control system free of a Soviet veto which would at the same time assure Russia that a control commission would not have a "built-in majority" in favor of Britain and the United States.

—The nationality of personnel who would man the 180 control posts and inspection teams around the world. Russia insists that most of the inspectors on Soviet territory be Soviet nationals. The West wants the teams to be completely international.

U.S. officials said they believed the Russians might give up their veto demand when they find that the West is willing to have true neutrals such as Sweden, Switzerland and India in the four non-permanent posts of the control commission.

The three permanent posts would be held by the United States, Britain and Russia.

Ancient Rites In Bethlehem Mark Nativity

Thousands Cross Israeli-Jordanian Border In Peace

JERUSALEM (UPI) — The Christmas spirit erased religious and political differences between Jews and Arabs Wednesday as thousands of pilgrims crossed the Israeli - Jordanian frontier to celebrate the birth of Christ in Bethlehem.

More than 1,700 Israeli Christians went through the shell-scarred Mandelbaum Gate separating the Israeli and Jordanian sectors of Jerusalem. They were among the 13,000 pilgrims making the trip to the city in Jordan visited by the Three Wise Men.

At the gate, the only opening in the hostile border between the two countries, Israeli and Jordanian police and army officers chatted amiably as they sipped tea and swapped cigarets. Arab legionaires looked on impassively while Israelis streamed into Jordan.

Lowered 36 Hours

Normally, the Mandelbaum Gate is opened only for diplomats and other high officials. Under an arrangement between the Israeli and Jordanian governments, however, the barrier is lowered for 36 hours at Christmas to permit the pilgrimage to Bethlehem.

The pilgrims began arriving at the frontier from all parts of Israel before dawn. Non-Israeli tourists and diplomatic officials crossed without customs formalities.

The highlight of the pilgrimage is the hgh pontifical Mass led by the Latin patriarch, Msgr. Albert Gori. The age-old Christmas ceremonies begin at midnight with the peal of a carillon across the Judean Hills from the Church of the Nativity in Bethlehem.

Clasps Wooden Image

According to tradition, the patriarch takes from the altar in the Church of St. Catherine a wooden image of Christ. Clasping the image in his arms, he leads a procession of choir boys and priests out of the church into the rock-hewn Chapel of St. Jerome.

Through the rocky cave, the procession moves down a flight of stairs into a depression known as the Grotto of the Nativity where nuns keep watch over the spot where Christ was born.

Msgr. Gori places the image above the Silver Star of Bethlehem on the altar and chants, signifying the annual message of peace on earth and goodwill toward men.

On their way to Bethlehem, the small groups and families of pilgrims passed a cistern called the Well of the Magi where The Three Wise Men stopped to drink. It was in the waters of this cistern that The Three Wise Men saw the reflection of the star which led them to the village where the Christ child lay.

Philip Curtails TV Rehearsals By Queen

SANDRINGHAM, England (AP) —Prince Philip put his foot down and decreed his wife Queen Elizabeth II spend more time with the family this Christmas and less time rehearsing her television appearance.

Last year Queen Elizabeth rehearsed four times for her Christmas TV broadcast.

This year Prince Philip, a polished TV performer himself, ordered that the second rehearsal at Sandringham Wednesday should be the last, television technicians said. He argued that the more rehearsals she went through before the actual telecast, the less natural she would appear.

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Rice said these convictions showed that income tax prosecutions "are still one of the sharpest weapons in the government's arsenal in the war against organized crime."

But he stressed that such prosecutions are by no means limited to racketeers. The government goes after all types of income tax evaders.

W. Va. Woman Prepares For Double Celebration On Her 101st Christmas

BECKLEY, W. Va. (AP)—Mrs. Rebecca McCann Harmon was ready Wednesday to celebrate her 101st Christmas.

It'll be a double celebration, actually. Mrs. Harmon, a first cousin once removed of Abraham Lincoln, was 100 years old Tuesday. But like many persons whose birthday falls so close to Christmas, they miss out on a birthday party and presents.

So Thursday will be a double celebration for Mrs. Harmon.

She's already placed her presents under the family tree in the home of her son, Ted, and daughter-in-law Mary. They live at Egeria, about 25 miles from Beckley near Flat Top Mountain.

The years haven't dimmed the glory of Christmas for Mrs. Harmon. And 100 years hasn't done much to her hearing or eyesight either.

Memory is something else.

"I can remember everything real well at times," the gray little centenarian said. "Other times, I can't remember anything."

"She can hear just as good as anybody," Mrs. Mary Harmon said of her mother-in-law. "Her sight is good too."

Until the last two or three years, Mrs. Harmon quilted and sewed without glasses. She no longer quilts. But she still sews. She dresses herself and goes to the table for all her meals.

About a month ago, Mrs. Harmon fell and broke her wrist. No cast was used at the hospital when the broken bone was set because of Mrs. Harmon's age. Doctors just bandaged the arm tightly.

When Mrs. Harmon got home, he took off the bandages.

"I don't want those things on there," she said. Today she's using her arm and only favoring it slightly.

Like most centenarians, Mrs. Harmon has a recipe for her long life.

It's work.

"Work won't hurt anyone, but laziness will," she said. "Anyone would live longer if they worked and exercised themselves."

Mrs. Harmon says her father, John McCann, the son of Irish immigrants, lived to be 105.

"On his 105th birthday, he put his foot on a stump, waved his hand, crowed like a rooster, and then went to the polls to vote," recalled Mrs. Harmon.

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Rice also credited on the criminal side of his work the imprisonment of gambler Frank Costello, whose final appeals from an income tax conviction were turned down during the year.

Rice said these convictions showed that income tax prosecutions "are still one of the sharpest weapons in the government's arsenal in the war against organized crime."

But he stressed that such prosecutions are by no means limited to racketeers. The government goes after all types of income tax evaders.

Gifts, Holiday Peace Shared By Millions

Many Areas Report Record Christmas Spending Sprees

By The Associated Press

Christmas brought gifts and holiday peace to millions Thursday.

There was rejoicing in Bethlehem and Christian communities around the world in celebration of the anniversary of Jesus Christ's birth.

Religious rites were largely completed with midnight services.

The shopping rush — which in many areas reached record proportions—was spent.

Around the globe, a white Christmas was a rarity.

In the United States, snow was expected only in the Rocky Mountains and in a narrow band stretching from the Dakotas across the Great Lakes to Pennsylvania and New York.

Europe's weather was unseasonably mild. Only the Alps had a mantle of white. Most of the continent had cloudy skies, with some mist, rain and fog. Rain mingled with snow in Moscow, where Westerners' celebrations centered at their embassies.

In the summer Yuletide south of the equator, many planned Christmas dinner out of doors on the beaches, in the country or in the mountains.

London Tradesmen Happy

West European shopkeepers checked with satisfaction the receipts of Christmas sales that had zoomed to all-time highs. London tradesmen happily reported seasonal business up seven per cent over a year ago.

Even in crisis-wracked Berlin, shoppers were out in record numbers on both sides of the Iron Curtain. West Berliners fervently hoped this would not be their last Christmas in freedom.

West German Chancellor Konrad Adenauer said, "The German people live through Christmas tide under the pressure of sharp attacks on freedom from the East," but he said he was convinced peace can be secured if the West stands patient and firm.

Traffic-blocking crowds in Australian cities poured the equivalent of more than 150 million dollars across counters in a record Christmas spending spree.

Christmas In Japan

There was a big Christmas Eve turnout also in Japan, where Christians are in a small minority. Police said some 650,000 Japanese jammed downtown Tokyo, crowding theaters and restaurants. They sang such songs as "Jingle Bells" and "Silent Night."

Contrasts in attitude within the Communist sphere were shown by separate developments in Warsaw and in Moscow.

In the Polish capital, workmen raised a Christmas tree three stories high directly across the street from the Polish Communist party's headquarters.

In Moscow, the party theoretical journal Kommunist called for an intensification of atheist propaganda to "release the minds of the people from the survivals of religion." Radio Moscow broadcast that to the world.

The Russian Yuletide is at the celebration of New Year's, when a Santa Claus called Grandfather Frost appears. The Communist regimes of Romania, Bulgaria and Albania follow suit.

Poland, Czechoslovakia, East Germany and Hungary are satellites which observe the traditional Western Christmas. Their situation is somewhat improved this year, though shortages still exist. Shipments of oranges, dates, figs and bananas from Spain and North Africa have been the sensation of the season.

China Red Guns Silent

Nationalist Chinese gunners on the Quemoy Islands observed the day under orders not to fire unless the Chinese Communists tried to invade.

The Red guns were silent Christmas Eve. This was not out of respect for the occasion, but simply because Dec. 24 is an even-numbered day. The Communists have abstained on even-numbered days and fired on odd-numbered days for the past eight weeks. By Nationalist computation, the Reds have expended 600,267 shells since opening the current offshore war Aug. 23.

In another war, the Greek Nationalist fight against British rule over Cyprus, the underground EOKA scattered leaflets among Christmas shoppers offering a permanent cease-fire provided "the other side does the same." British authorities withheld comment.

No Paper Tomorrow

The Cumberland News will not be published tomorrow due to the Christmas holiday.

Ready For 100th Christmas

Mrs. Rebecca McCann Harmon, of Egeria, W. Va., is shown with some of the gifts she will open today on her 100th Christmas. Mrs. Harmon's 100th birthday was December 23. Her grandfather was a brother of Nancy Hanks, Abraham Lincoln's mother. Egeria is located near Beckley.

(AP Photofax)

Bridges Says Spending Issue Is Up To Demos

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Sen. Styles Bridges (R-N.H.) said on Wednesday that President Eisenhower's proposed new 77 billion dollar balanced budget puts the spending issue "squarely up to the Democrats."

Bridges, chairman of the Senate Republican Policy Committee, said the President's month-early announcement of a balanced budget was "advance notice" to the predominantly - Democratic 86th Congress that he is determined to hold down spending.

The yearly congressional battle of the budget appeared to be underway weeks earlier than usual. Bridges made his statement in a television interview from New Hampshire as Democrats attacked the validity of the President's proposal.

The President's contemplated spending figure for the 1960 fiscal year represented a three-billion-dollar cut from the estimated 80 billion dollar total for this fiscal year which ends June 30.

The President also estimated 1960 revenues at 77 billion to put the budget narrowly in balance. The government this year was expected to wind up with a deficit of about 12 billion.

Sen. Joseph S. Clark (D-Pa.) called the new budget a "cheapskate program" inadequate for the nation's growth requirements. He proposed an additional five to six billion dollars in outlays with the added cost made up by closing tax loopholes.

But Bridges said that "if Congress wants to take the responsibility of raising it, the President is going to put that squarely on their shoulders."

Key Democrats questioned whether the President could balance the new budget and still avoid a general tax increase. But administration economists counted on recovery from the business recession to boost revenues. The Commerce Department has reported that the economy had climbed back to its pre-recession level.

Nine Die In Crash Of British Airliner

CHRISTCHURCH, England (AP)—A Britannia airliner crashed in a pasture on a training flight near this south coast city Wednesday, killing nine of the 12 persons aboard.

The four-engine turboprop plane of the British Overseas Airways Corp., was on a training flight from London Airport. All the 12 occupants were company employes.

The plane broke out of a dense fog and fell.

Request Granted

PHILADELPHIA (UPI) — Assistant District Attorney Thomas Reed asked a Quarter Session Court judge Wednesday for a three hour recess in a trial. The reason: Reed was to play the violin in a lawyer's orchestra at a Christmas carol program in Orphans Court. The request was granted.

Quick-Thinking Woman Motorist Saves Youngster

MORRISVILLE, Pa. (AP) — A woman motorist saw a girl struggling in an icy canal Wednesday and drove her car into the water in an effort to save the child.

Blasts from her horn brought a teen-age boy, who rescued the unconscious girl.

The girl, Carol Scheese, 2, of Morrisville, recovered quickly with oxygen treatments.

Carol was playing on the ice of the Pennsylvania Canal, near her home, when she plunged through.

Hazel Lambert of Pennsbury Heights was driving by when she saw the girl's hands. She drove quickly to the spot and her car broke through the ice into the water.

She blew her horn and shouted, attracting the attention of 14-year-old George Taylor. He waded into five feet of water and rescued the child.

Firemen pulled the woman's car from the water. She was unharmed.

U.S. And U.A.R. Sign Wheat Agreement

CAIRO (UPI) — The United States and the United Arab Republic reached accord here Wednesday for resumption of American wheat shipments to Egypt for the first time since the Suez crisis of 1956.

The Egyptians had imported wheat from the Soviet Union since the United States suspended shipments to this country more than two years ago.

Under the agreement signed here Wednesday, the United States will sell the U.A.R. 25 million dollars worth of American wheat and flour. Payment will be in Egyptian pounds.

The shipments—including 200,000 tons of wheat and 100,000 tons of flour — were expected to begin about next March 1 and to be completed within three months.

Today's Chuckle

A colorful girl: one who likes men with blue eyes, brown hair, and greenbacks.

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Russian A-Test Ban Decision Seen By March

WASHINGTON (UPI)—U.S. negotiators believe Russia will agree to a nuclear test ban including controls and inspection by March if there ever is to be such a pact, State Department officials reported Wednesday.

U.S. officials involved in the East-West talks at Geneva said the Russians suddenly changed their attitude early in December and began to talk in earnest about the subjects which led to agreement on the first four articles of the proposed treaty.

The articles included agreement to create a control and inspection organization and assumption of the obligation to cooperate with and assist it. Soviet opposition to inspection has been a major stumbling block in the talks.

The disclosures came after Ambassador James J. Wadsworth, who heads the U.S. delegation at the talks, returned to Washington last week for the Christmas recess. U.S. authorities acknowledged that a good deal of hard bargaining lay ahead when the talks resume Jan. 5.

They listed these major hurdles:

—How to set up a control system free of a Soviet veto which would at the same time assure Russia that a control commission would not have a "built-in majority" in favor of Britain and the United States.

—The nationality of personnel who would man the 180 control posts and inspection teams around the world. Russia insists that most of the inspectors on Soviet territory be Soviet nationals. The West wants the teams to be completely international.

U.S. officials said they believed the Russians might give up their veto demand when they find that the West is willing to have true neutrals such as Sweden, Switzerland and India in the four non-permanent posts of the control commission.

The three permanent posts would be held by the United States, Britain and Russia.

Ancient Rites In Bethlehem Mark Nativity

Thousands Cross Israeli-Jordanian Border In Peace

JERUSALEM (UPI) — The Christmas spirit erased religious and political differences between Jews and Arabs Wednesday as thousands of pilgrims crossed the Israeli - Jordanian frontier to celebrate the birth of Christ in Bethlehem.

More than 1,700 Israeli Christians went through the shell-scarred Mandelbaum Gate separating the Israeli and Jordanian sectors of Jerusalem. They were among the 13,000 pilgrims making the trip to the city in Jordan visited by the Three Wise Men.

At the gate, the only opening in the hostile border between the two countries, Israeli and Jordanian police and army officers chatted amiably as they sipped tea and swapped cigarets. Arab legionaires looked on impassively while Israelis streamed into Jordan.

Lowered 36 Hours

Normally, the Mandelbaum Gate is opened only for diplomats and other high officials. Under an arrangement between the Israeli and Jordanian governments, however, the barrier is lowered for 36 hours at Christmas to permit the pilgrimage to Bethlehem.

The pilgrims began arriving at the frontier from all parts of Israel before dawn. Non-Israeli tourists and diplomatic officials crossed without customs formalities.

The highlight of the pilgrimage is the hgh pontifical Mass led by the Latin patriarch, Msgr. Albert Gori. The age-old Christmas ceremonies begin at midnight with the peal of a carillon across the Judean Hills from the Church of the Nativity in Bethlehem.

Clasps Wooden Image

According to tradition, the patriarch takes from the altar in the Church of St. Catherine a wooden image of Christ. Clasping the image in his arms, he leads a procession of choir boys and priests out of the church into the rock-hewn Chapel of St. Jerome.

Through the rocky cave, the procession moves down a flight of stairs into a depression known as the Grotto of the Nativity where nuns keep watch over the spot where Christ was born.

Msgr. Gori places the image above the Silver Star of Bethlehem on the altar and chants, signifying the annual message of peace on earth and goodwill toward men.

On their way to Bethlehem, the small groups and families of pilgrims passed a cistern called the Well of the Magi where The Three Wise Men stopped to drink. It was in the waters of this cistern that The Three Wise Men saw the reflection of the star which led them to the village where the Christ child lay.

Philip Curtails TV Rehearsals By Queen

SANDRINGHAM, England (AP)—Prince Philip put his foot down and decreed his wife Queen Elizabeth II spend more time with the family this Christmas and less time rehearsing her television appearance.

Last year Queen Elizabeth rehearsed four times for her Christmas TV broadcast.

This year Prince Philip, a polished TV performer himself, ordered that the second rehearsal at Sandringham Wednesday should be the last, television technicians said. He argued that the more rehearsals she went through before the actual telecast, the less natural she would appear.

W. Va. Woman Prepares For Double Celebration On Her 101st Christmas

BECKLEY, W. Va. (AP)—Mrs. Rebecca McCann Harmon was ready Wednesday to celebrate her 101st Christmas.

It'll be a double celebration, actually. Mrs. Harmon, a first cousin once removed of Abraham Lincoln, was 100 years old Tuesday. But like many persons whose birthday falls so close to Christmas, they miss out on a birthday party and presents.

So Thursday will be a double celebration for Mrs. Harmon.

She's already placed her presents under the family tree in the home of her son, Ted, and daughter-in-law Mary. They live at Egeria, about 25 miles from Beckley near Flat Top Mountain.

The years haven't dimmed the glory of Christmas for Mrs. Harmon. And 100 years hasn't done much to her hearing or eyesight either.

Memory is something else.

"I can remember everything real well at times," the gray little centenarian said. "Other times, I can't remember anything."

"She can hear just as good as anybody," Mrs. Mary Harmon said of her mother-in-law. "Her sight is good too."

Until the last two or three years, Mrs. Harmon quilted and sewed without glasses. She no longer quilts. But she still sews. She dresses herself and goes to the table for all her meals.

About a month ago, Mrs. Harmon fell and broke her wrist. No cast was used at the hospital when the broken bone was set because of Mrs. Harmon's age. Doctors just bandaged the arm tightly.

When Mrs. Harmon got home, he took off the bandages.

"I don't want those things on there," she said. Today she's using her arm and only favoring it slightly.

Like most centenarians, Mrs. Harmon has a recipe for her long life.

It's work.

"Work won't hurt anyone, but laziness will," she said. "Anyone would live longer if they worked and exercised themselves."

Mrs. Harmon says her father, John McCann, the son of Irish immigrants, lived to be 105.

"On his 105th birthday, he put his foot on a stump, waved his hand, crowed like a rooster, and then went to the polls to vote," recalled Mrs. Harmon.

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Jones, 29, succeeds Asst. Att. Gen. Theodore C. Waters Jr., who is returning to private law practice.

A 1953 graduate of the University of Maryland law school, the new assistant attorney general led his graduating class and received the highest grade of candidates who took the bar examination later that year.

Some West Va. Areas Get Snow

CHARLESTON, W. Va. (UPI)— There was a white Christmas in some sections of West Virginia.

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However, despite snow flurries which fell during the afternoon in many areas, the forecast called for no accumulation at lower elevations.

Observers said Thursday would be cold with variable cloudiness with highs between 30 and 35 degrees over most of the state.

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Anti-Red Measure

SEOUL, Korea (AP) — Police drove striking opposition lawmakers from the National Assembly Wednesday and the government then rammed through a controversial police powers measure to combat communism.

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Some West Va. Areas Get Snow

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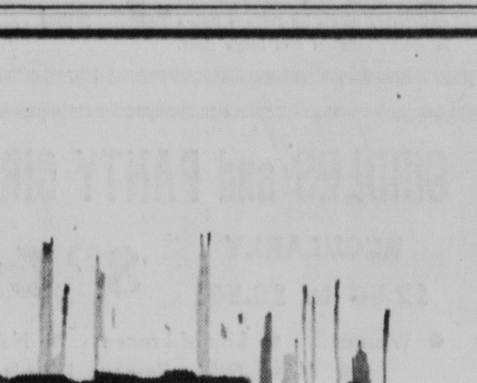

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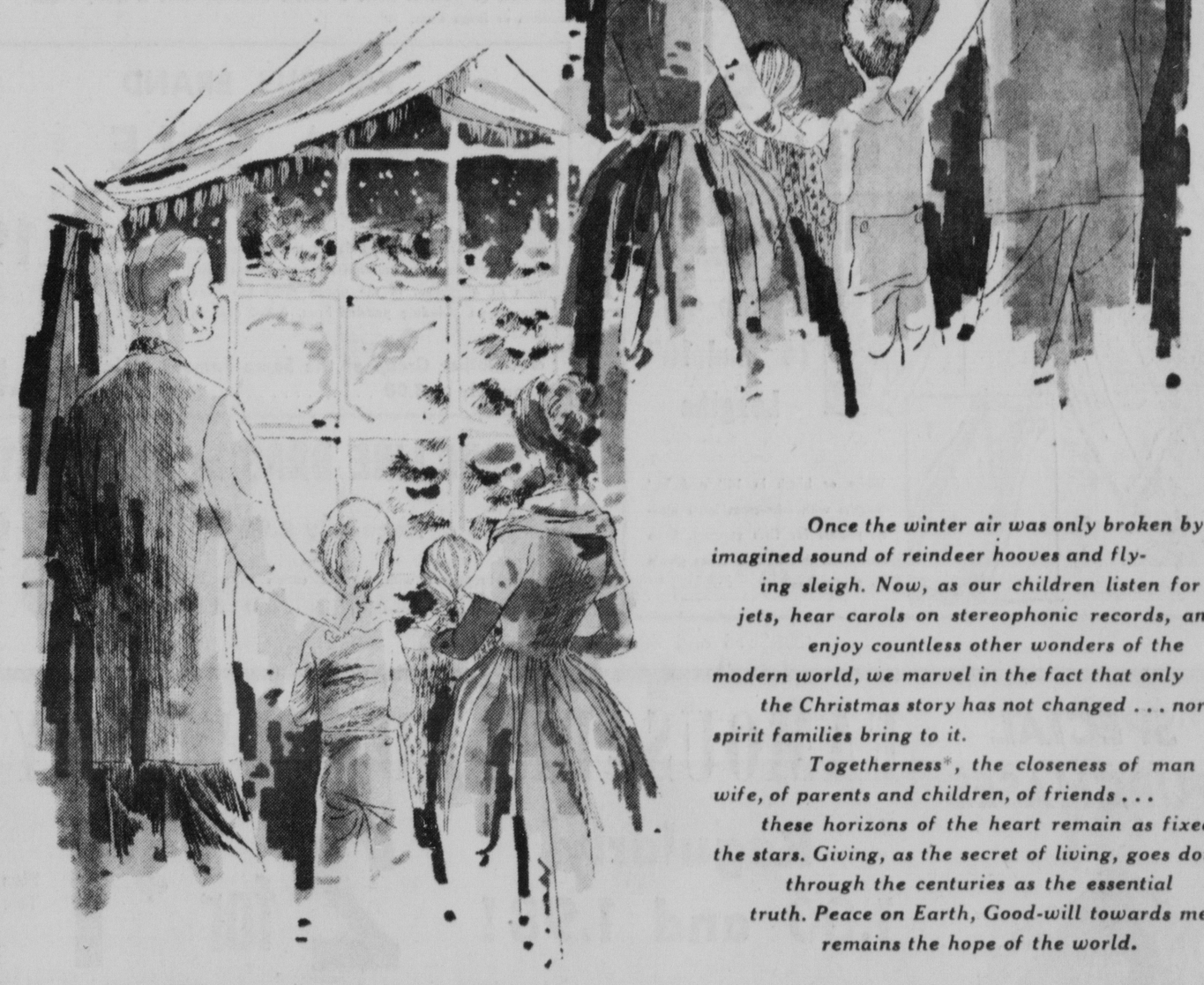

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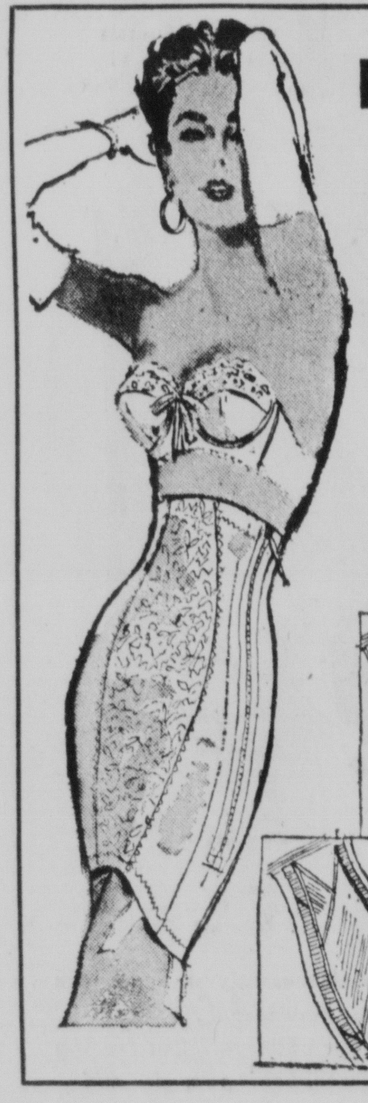

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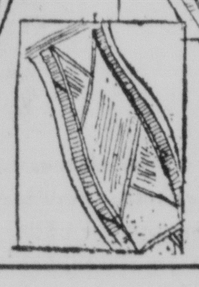

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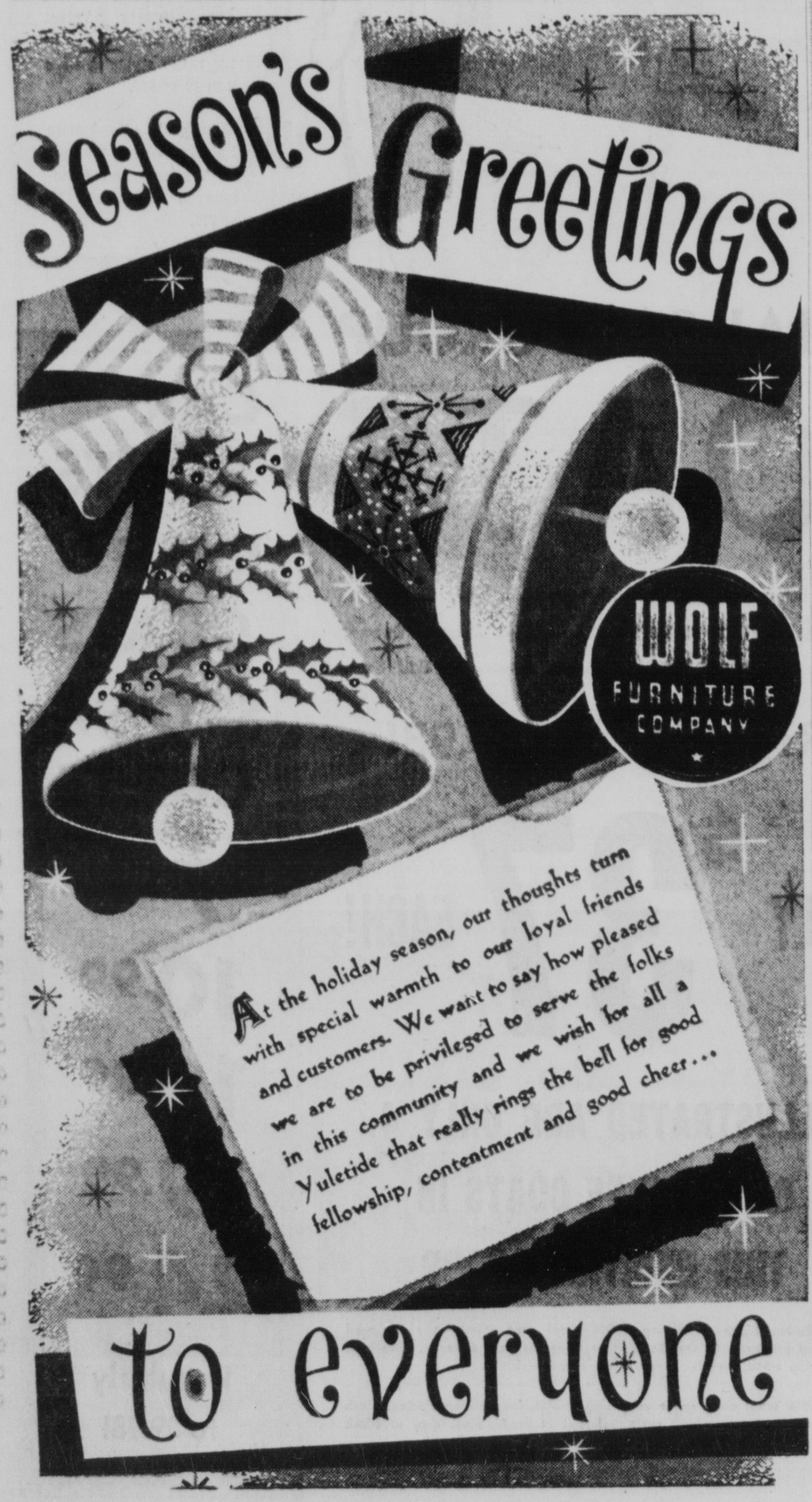

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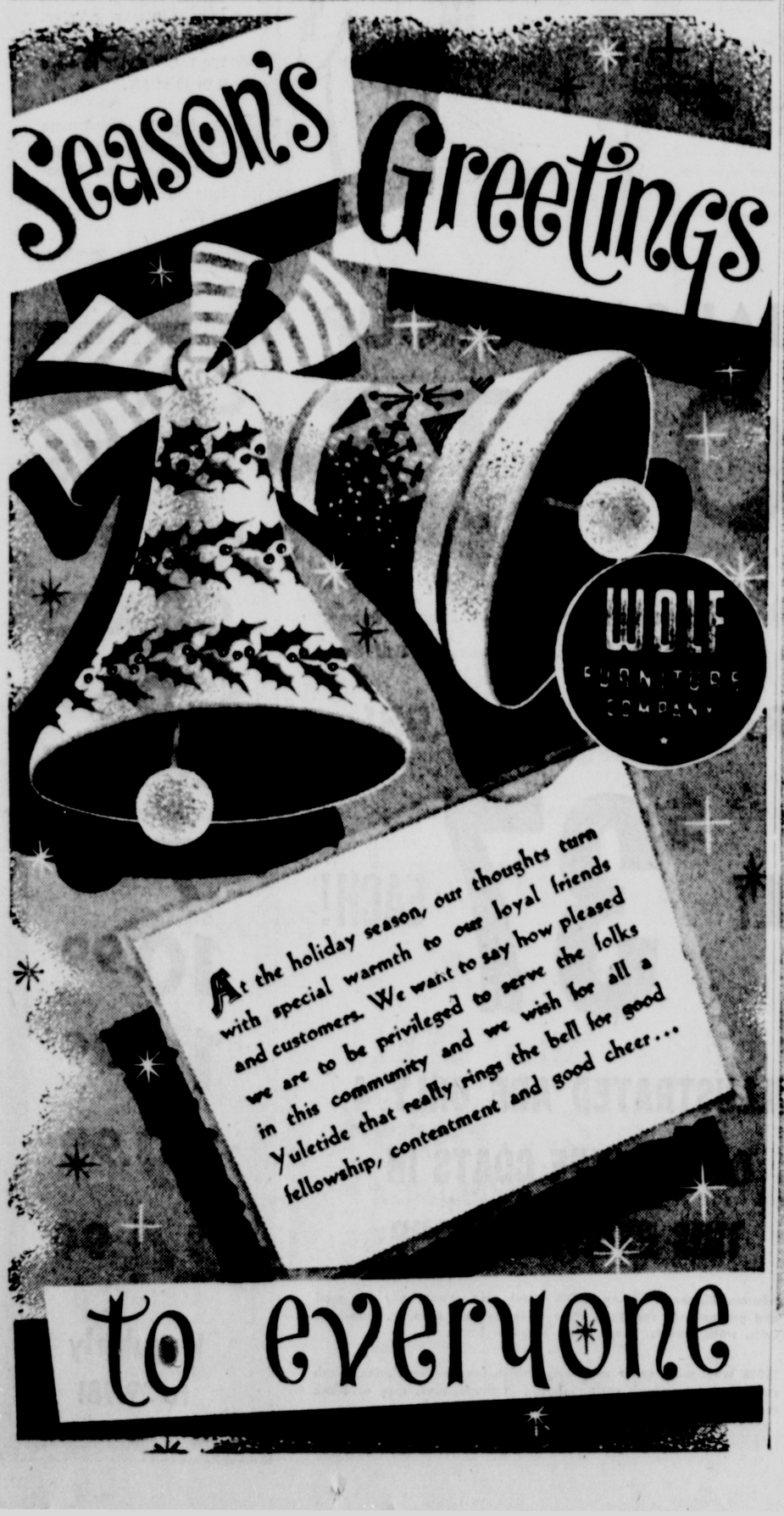

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Seniority Cherished On Capitol Hill

By ARTHUR EDSON

WASHINGTON (AP)—This must be the saddest time of the year for any youngster who yearns to be a politician.

For Congress is coming back on the job. And though both parties make a great to-do over young people getting into politics, anyone who watches our statesmen can see that nowhere is seniority so lovingly cherished.

Peculiarly, Congress seems to be getting worse, or better, depending on your viewpoint.

A local historian, Svend Petersen, has worked up a list of those who have served longest in Congress. Each of the top 10 put in an imposing 41 years or more on Capitol Hill. Three of these 10 are still there.

The seemingly overlasting three:

Sen. Carl Trumbull Hayden (D), pride of Hayden's Ferry (now Tempe), Ariz. at 81, Hayden remains a most untalkative senator, preferring to get in his effective licks behind scenes. He has represented Arizona, first in the House and then in the Senate, ever since it became a state. No other man has served in Congress so long, 47 years on Feb. 19.

You'll get some idea of Hayden's astounding feat from this:

To tie Hayden's present record—and there's no telling how many more years he will extend it—the new Alaska senators would have to serve until 2006. At that time, E. L. Bartlett would be 101 years old and Ernest Gruening 118.

Rep. Sam Taliaferro Rayburn (D) of Bonham, Tex., a speaker of the House for longer than anybody. He first showed up in Congress on March 4, 1913, a day of excitement here because a new Democrat, Woodrow Wilson, was moving in as president.

Well, Wilson has been gone from the scene so long he seems to belong to another age. Yet here is Rayburn. On Jan. 6, he will be 77; the next day he will rap for order, and the new Congress will be in business.

Rep. Carl Vinson (D) of Milledgeville, Ga., chairman of the House Armed Services Committee. Now 75, he has been a congressman for 44 years. Only four other men ever served as long as has Vinson.

Although these three represent the extreme in longevity, any place the youngster may look he will find the value of seniority in Congress.

To the victor belongs the spoils. To the victor who wins again and again belongs the important committee chairmanships.

Of course, there are interesting exceptions.

Vice President Richard M. Nixon probably is the most glamorous illustration of how one can scamper quickly up the political ladder. And some of the younger senators show no signs of timidity in the presence of their elders.

MISS AMERICA TAGGED — Ben Walley, executive assistant to Gov. J. P. Coleman, presents Mary Ann Mobley, 21, of Brandon, Miss., a special Mississippi license tag for her personal use. The University of Mississippi senior is the first Mississippian to win the coveted title. "Rankin" is not her position; it's her home county. (AP Photofax)

The roots of the mesquite tree are frequently about three times the length of the bush they support.

Eskimos, immigrating from North America more than one thousand years ago, were Greenland's first residents.

A single iceberg sometimes contains enough ice to cover a square mile of ocean to a deph of some 500 feet.

Court House Workers To Get Long Holiday

KEYSER—The Mineral County Court has granted employes of the Court House an extra-long holiday weekend. The Court House will be closed Friday and Saturday in addition to Christmas Day. Business will resume as usual Monday.

The representative of the Cumland Social Security office, who visits at the Court House each Friday, will not be here this week.

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In the true Christmas spirit
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15'x16'	305.00	210.00
15'x14'6"	470.00	269.00
15'x17'3"	387.00	239.00
15'x11'9"	333.00	189.00
15'x17'5"	506.00	329.00
15'x9'10"	280.00	179.00
15'x17'5"	416.00	269.00
12'x12'4"	205.00	127.00
12'x7'9"	168.00	96.00
15'x9'	221.00	139.00
12'x8'3"	140.00	79.00
15'x7'	126.00	63.00
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For Congress is coming back on the job. And though both parties make a great to-do over young people getting into politics, anyone who watches our statesmen can see that nowhere is seniority so lovingly cherished.

Peculiarly, Congress seems to be getting worse, or better, depending on your viewpoint.

A local historian, Svend Petersen, has worked up a list of those who have served longest in Congress. Each of the top 10 put in an imposing 41 years or more on Capitol Hill. Three of these 10 are still there.

The seemingly overlasting three:

Sen. Carl Trumbull Hayden (D), pride of Hayden's Ferry (now Tempe), Ariz. at 81, Hayden remains a most untalkative senator, preferring to get in his effective licks behind scenes. He has represented Arizona, first in the House and then in the Senate, ever since it became a state. No other man has served in Congress so long, 47 years on Feb. 19.

You'll get some idea of Hayden's astounding feat from this:

To tie Hayden's present record—and there's no telling how many more years he will extend it—the new Alaska senators would have to serve until 2006. At that time, E. L. Bartlett would be 101 years old and Ernest Gruening 118.

Rep. Sam Taliaferro Rayburn (D) of Bonham, Tex., a speaker of the House for longer than anybody. He first showed up in Congress on March 4, 1913, a day of excitement here because a new Democrat, Woodrow Wilson, was moving in as president.

Well, Wilson has been gone from the scene so long he seems to belong to another age. Yet here is Rayburn. On Jan. 6, he will be 77; the next day he will rap for order, and the new Congress will be in business.

Rep. Carl Vinson (D) of Milledgeville, Ga., chairman of the House Armed Services Committee. Now 75, he has been a congressman for 44 years. Only four other men ever served as long as has Vinson.

Although these three represent the extreme in longevity, any place the youngster may look he will find the value of seniority in Congress.

To the victor belongs the spoils. To the victor who wins again and again belongs the important committee chairmanships.

Of course, there are interesting exceptions.

Vice President Richard M. Nixon probably is the most glamorous illustration of how one can scamper quickly up the political ladder. And some of the younger senators show no signs of timidity in the presence of their elders.

Merry Christmas

In the true Christmas spirit
of joy and good will,
we are happy to greet all
our friends and wish
everyone a glorious Holiday Season.

SPORTS SHOPPE
55 N. Centre Street

MISS AMERICA TAGGED — Ben Walley, executive assistant to Gov. J. P. Coleman, presents Mary Ann Mobley, 21, of Brandon, Miss., a special Mississippi license tag for her personal use. The University of Mississippi senior is the first Mississippian to win the coveted title. "Rankin" is not her position; it's her home county. (AP Photofax)

The roots of the mesquite tree are frequently about three times the length of the bush they support.

Eskimos, immigrating from North America more than one thousand years ago, were Greenland's first residents.

A single iceberg sometimes contains enough ice to cover a square mile of ocean to a deph of some 500 feet.

Court House Workers To Get Long Holiday

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The representative of the Cumland Social Security office, who visits at the Court House each Friday, will not be here this week.

Shop and Save Friday
9:45 A. M. 'Til 5:00

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Bernard Beerman, class president, and Robert Leasure were co-chairmen of the affair which was highlighted by dancing to a six-piece orchestra.

Mr. Beerman announced that a committee composed of class members presently residing in Cumberland will be formed in the near future to plan for the reunion to be held during the third week of June. This event will be in the form of a dinner-dance.

Annual Flea Club Dance Planned Friday

The 11th annual Flea Fling of Flea Nest 13 will be held Friday beginning at 10 p. m., in the Knights of Columbus ballroom.

Music for the dance will be provided by Buck Trimble's Flea Flingers and camp clothes are required. Prizes will be awarded for the most original dress and a surprise is planned.

Eight Presidents have come from the state of Ohio—William Henry Harrison, Ulysses S. Grant, Rutherford B. Hayes, James A. Garfield, Benjamin Harrison, William McKinley, William Howard Taft and Warren G. Harding.

Board Meeting Set

The executive board of Allegany County Council of Homemakers Clubs will meet Monday at 10:30 a.m. at the office of Miss Mary P. Wise, county home demonstration agent.

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We hope you will pause to remember the true meaning of this Holy Christmas Season.
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Bernard Beerman, class president, and Robert Leasure were co-chairmen of the affair which was highlighted by dancing to a six-piece orchestra.

Mr. Beerman announced that a committee composed of class members presently residing in Cumberland will be formed in the near future to plan for the reunion to be held during the third week of June. This event will be in the form of a dinner-dance.

Annual Flea Club Dance Planned Friday

The 11th annual Flea Fling of Flea Nest 13 will be held Friday beginning at 10 p. m., in the Knights of Columbus ballroom.

Music for the dance will be provided by Buck Trimble's Flea Flingers and camp clothes are required. Prizes will be awarded for the most original dress and a surprise is planned.

Eight Presidents have come from the state of Ohio—William Henry Harrison, Ulysses S. Grant, Rutherford B. Hayes, James A. Garfield, Benjamin Harrison, William McKinley, William Howard Taft and Warren G. Harding.

Board Meeting Set

The executive board of Allegany County Council of Homemakers Clubs will meet Monday at 10:30 a.m. at the office of Miss Mary P. Wise, county home demonstration agent.

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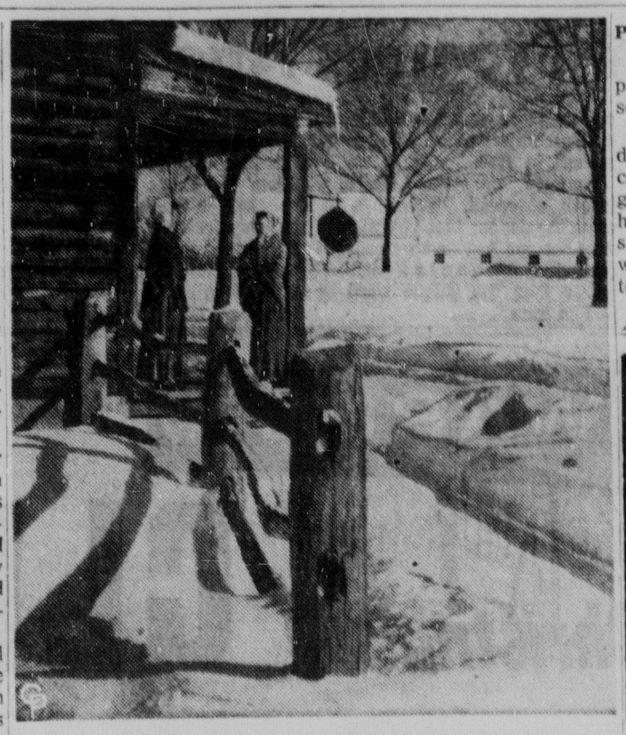

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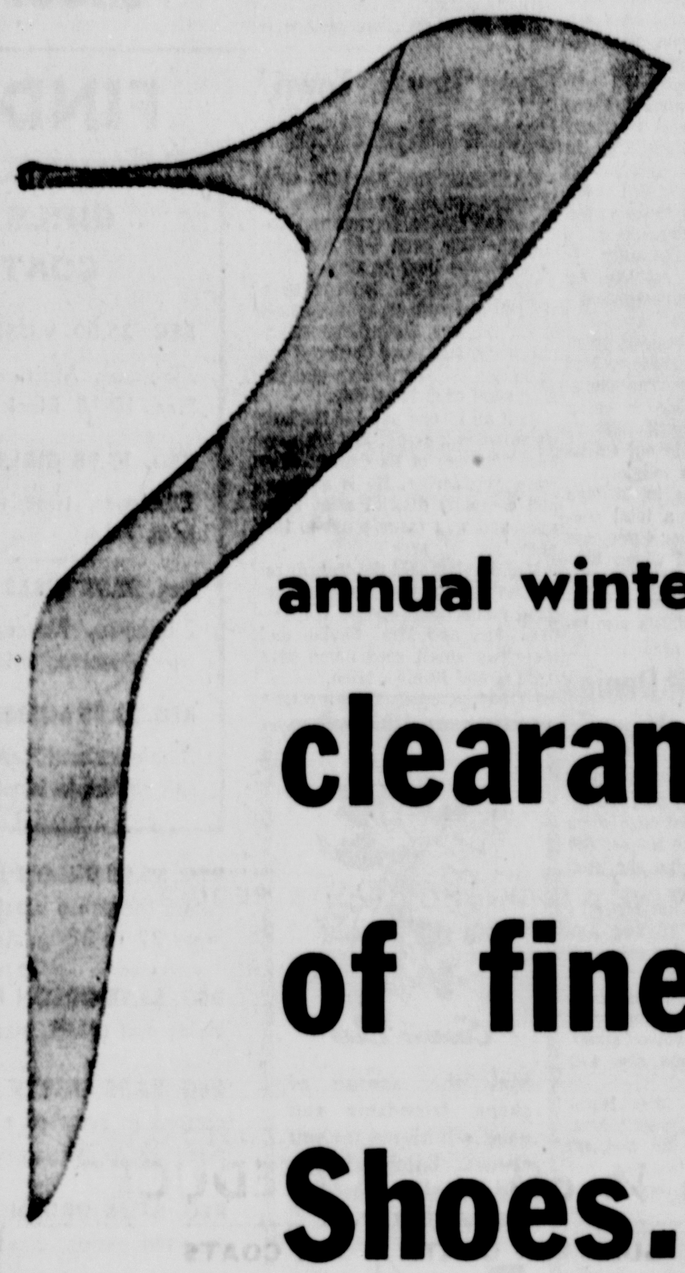
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Associated Press Staff Writer

Is Christianity losing ground to Buddhism and other ancient religions in Asia? Is it marking time? Or is it making progress?

An Associated Press survey indicates that while Christianity's strength remains small in terms of numbers, it has made creditable progress in an area where it has had to overcome cultural and language barriers nonexistent in the West.

Here is a breakdown of the situation:

INDIA:

There are about eight million Christians in India, or 2.3 per cent of the population, the majority of whom adhere to Hinduism or Islam, the two strongest religions.

The Indian government is cool toward foreign missionaries who view their only job in India as a task to win converts. But India welcomes missionaries who are teachers, doctors, run hospitals and engage in similar work.

The number of registered missionaries—or those excluding Commonwealth missionaries who need no visas—dropped from 5,691 in 1956 to 4,844 in 1958. But Indian officials say there are still twice as many as were in India at the time she became independent.

Summed up: Christianity is holding its own but not keeping up with increases in population.

MALAYA:

Christian leaders believe cooperation between Christianity and Buddhism is possible. The Christian church leadership is being Malayanized, making it difficult for Buddhsts to single out Christianity as a Western religion.

Christian churches in Malaya and Singapore have a total congregation of 240,000—or 4 per cent of the population—of which 100,000 are Roman Catholic.

Summed up: Christian activity has spurred the Buddhists also into greater activity in the educational and social welfare fields.

VIET NAM:

Of South Viet Nam's 11 million population, some 1,300,000 are Roman Catholics and 60,000 Protestants.

Buddhists represent the numerically largest religious group but a Buddhist revival at the expense of Christianity appears remote.

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THE PHILIPPINES:

This country is Asia's outstanding exception. Eighty-three per cent of the population is Catholic. This stems from nearly four centuries of Spanish rule.

Moslems make up 4 per cent of the population and Buddhists about .02 per cent or 50,000 according to government estimates.

Summed up: The Catholic position seems unshakable.

INDONESIA:

Indonesia's religious picture is such a complex one the government has a Ministry of Religious Affairs to keep it straight.

Of the country's 84 million people, about 75 million are Moslem, 6 million Christian, 2 million Hindu and a million Buddhist.

Of the 6 million christians, 3½ million are Protestants and 2½ million Roman Catholics. By comparison there were fewer than 4½ million Christians of all denominations in 1950.

Summed up: One Christian leader observed, "There is always the danger that Christianity may become just another religion competing for social position, rather than the unique word of God to man."

SOUTH KOREA:

Figures published in 1957 by the Education Ministry report five million buddhists and 1,560,000 Christians in South Korea, whose total population is 22 million.

Christians include 863,000 Presbyterians, 247,000 Methodists and 242,000 Roman Catholics.

Summed up: Although only 7 per cent of the total population is Christian, Christianity is regarded the most solidly organized religion in South Korea and is making stead gains.

JAPAN:

Buddhism and Shintoism dominate in this country of 90 million people. But Christianity has made steady progress.

In 1947 there were 322,692 Japanese Christians, compared with 485,399 in 1952 and 601,455 in 1957, according to Education Ministry figures.

Education Ministry figures for 1957 list 78,962,598 Shintoists and 44,063,907 Buddhists. There is much overlapping because many Japanese claim both religions.

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As it all turned out, the Boylans were house hunting, and Waynesboro was one of four towns they were considering. He is a chemical company district sales manager and was transferred to this area.

Mrs. Boylan said the "warm reception" given her and her husband made them choose Waynesboro. Mr. and Mrs. Boylan and their two small sons came here from Grand Rapids, Mich.

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"I am afraid that Miss Hurst has exaggerated slightly," Mrs. Roosevelt replied. "I did, and still do, exercises every morning, but I did not know they were called yoga exercises.

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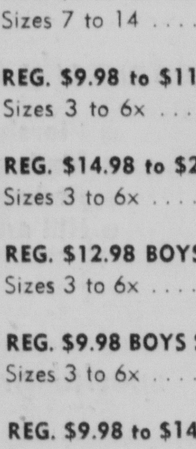

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Christianity Making Creditable Progress Against Ancient Religions In Asia

By KENNETH ISHII
Associated Press Staff Writer

Is Christianity losing ground to Buddhism and other ancient religions in Asia? Is it marking time? Or is it making progress?

An Associated Press survey indicates that while Christianity's strength remains small in terms of numbers, it has made creditable progress in an area where it has had to overcome cultural and language barriers nonexistent in the West.

Here is a breakdown of the situation:

INDIA:

There are about eight million Christians in India, or 2.3 per cent of the population, the majority of whom adhere to Hinduism or Islam, the two strongest religions.

The Indian government is cool toward foreign missionaries who view their only job in India as a task to win converts. But India welcomes missionaries who are teachers, doctors, run hospitals and engage in similar work.

The number of registered missionaries—or those excluding Commonwealth missionaries who need no visas—dropped from 5,691 in 1956 to 4,844 in 1958. But Indian officials say there are still twice as many as were in India at the time she became independent.

Summed up: Christianity is holding its own but not keeping up with increases in population.

MALAYA:

Christian leaders believe cooperation between Christianity and Buddhism is possible. The Christian church leadership is being Malayanized, making it difficult for Buddhsts to single out Christianity as a Western religion.

Christian churches in Malaya and Singapore have a total congregation of 240,000—or 4 per cent of the population—of which 100,000 are Roman Catholic.

Summed up: Christian activity has spurred the Buddhists also into greater activity in the educational and social welfare fields.

VIET NAM:

Of South Viet Nam's 11 million population, some 1,300,000 are Roman Catholics and 60,000 Protestants.

Buddhists represent the numerically largest religious group but a Buddhist revival at the expense of Christianity appears remote.

Summed up: Christianity has a strong hold.

THE PHILIPPINES:

This country is Asia's outstanding exception. Eighty-three per cent of the population is Catholic. This stems from nearly four centuries of Spanish rule.

Moslems make up 4 per cent of the population and Buddhists about .02 per cent or 50,000 according to government estimates.

Summed up: The Catholic position seems unshakable.

INDONESIA:

Indonesia's religious picture is such a complex one the government has a Ministry of Religious Affairs to keep it straight.

Of the country's 84 million people, about 75 million are Moslem, 6 million Christian, 2 million Hindu and a million Buddhist.

Of the 6 million christians, 3½ million are Protestants and 2½ million Roman Catholics. By comparison there were fewer than 4½ million Christians of all denominations in 1950.

Summed up: One Christian leader observed, "There is always the danger that Christianity may become just another religion competing for social position, rather than the unique word of God to man."

SOUTH KOREA:

Figures published in 1957 by the Education Ministry report five million buddhists and 1,560,000 Christians in South Korea, whose total population is 22 million.

Christians include 863,000 Presbyterians, 247,000 Methodists and 242,000 Roman Catholics.

Summed up: Although only 7 per cent of the total population is Christian, Christianity is regarded the most solidly organized religion in South Korea and is making stead gains.

JAPAN:

Buddhism and Shintoism dominate in this country of 90 million people. But Christianity has made steady progress.

In 1947 there were 322,692 Japanese Christians, compared with 485,399 in 1952 and 601,455 in 1957, according to Education Ministry figures.

Education Ministry figures for 1957 list 78,962,598 Shintoists and 44,063,907 Buddhists. There is much overlapping because many Japanese claim both religions.

Summed up: Christianity has made a lasting impact on Japanese life. Predictions are the steady increase of converts will continue.

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Given 'Day On Town,' Couple Stays There

WAYNESBORO, Pa. (AP) — A Michigan couple, given a "day on the town" by the Waynesboro Exchange Club here last Autumn, have moved here to stay.

The Richard C. Boylans were stopped on Route 11, 10 miles west of Waynesboro, during Pennsylvania Week, and were "ordered" to be guests of Waynesboro and the Exchange Club for a day.

As it all turned out, the Boylans were house hunting, and Waynesboro was one of four towns they were considering. He is a chemical company district sales manager and was transferred to this area.

Mrs. Boylan said the "warm reception" given her and her husband made them choose Waynesboro. Mr. and Mrs. Boylan and their two small sons came here from Grand Rapids, Mich.

Mrs. Roosevelt Denies She Practices Yoga

NEW YORK (UPI) —Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt Tuesday denied a report that she practiced yoga when she lived in the White House. She admitted, however, that she used to stand on her head.

Mrs. Roosevelt, in her McCall's magazine column, "If You Ask Me," replied to a letter asking if it was true, as novelist Fannie Hurst said in her autobiography, that Mrs. Roosevelt performed a yoga exercise that involved standing on her head while she was first lady.

"I am afraid that Miss Hurst has exaggerated slightly," Mrs. Roosevelt replied. "I did, and still do, exercises every morning, but I did not know they were called yoga exercises.

"Certainly not for a long time have I attempted to stand on my head, though there was a time in my life when I could accomplish this feat!"

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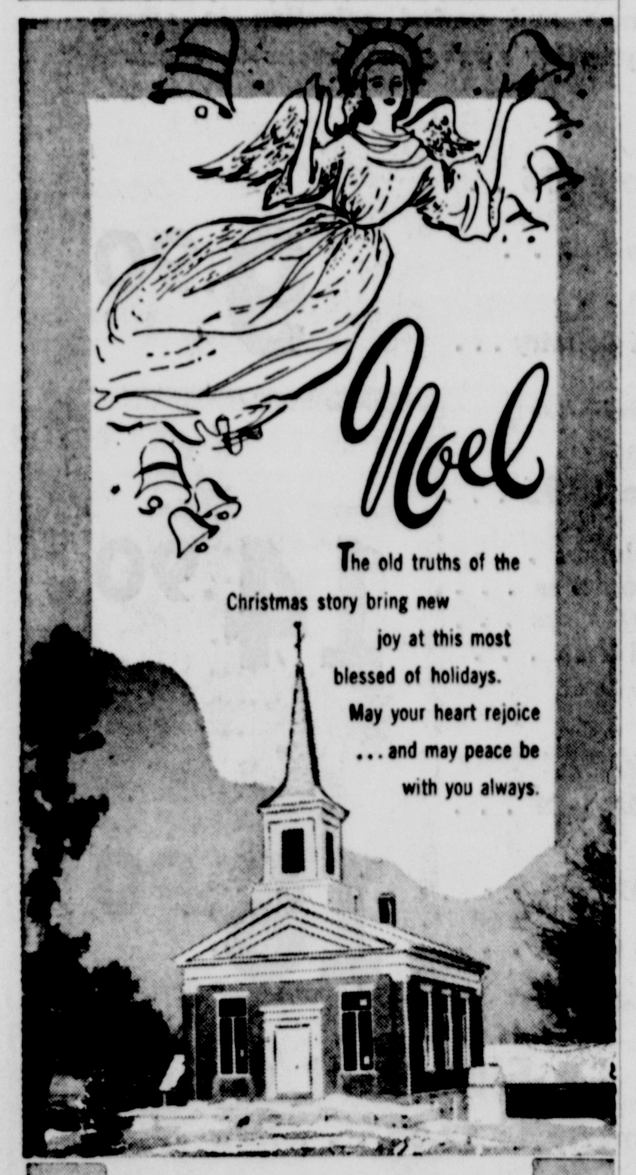

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INDIAN ARTIST: Acee Blue Eagle, whose paintings hang in museums of Europe and America, works on unfinished painting of dancing Indians in eagle-feathered costumes.

Indian Painter Travels To Tell Redman's Story

By JIM MONROE

OKMULGEE, Okla. (AP) — Acee Blue Eagle's biggest challenge now is not as a painter, but a missionary.

Blue Eagle has won acclaim with his canvasses and water colors, and is considered the foremost of American Indian painters.

His success as a missionary among the whites of America and Europe has been less startling.

"Too many people still look upon the Indian as a savage, and these Westerns on movies and TV haven't helped," says the big Creek-Pawnee who in 1933 worked as an Indian extra in Western movies.

"In my lectures and speeches, I try to show the Indian as he really is. Better understanding is needed between the races, whether it be Indian or Japanese."

Blue Eagle's rise to prominence as a painter has taken him throughout this country and over much of Europe, and has given him an excellent opportunity to "spread the gospel" about Indians.

In his talks he tells of Indian life and culture, and points out that many early-day tribes were about as "civilized" as the palefaces.

White Man's Spread

At 51, there's no question about the "civilization" of the Oklahoma reservation-born artist. He has a receding hairline, a big paunch and an infectious grin. He no longer looks like a dog soldier going into battle.

Twenty years ago it was different.

When he went to Washington and presented three of his paintings to President Franklin D. Roosevelt, a columnist observed: "He looks more like Sitting Bull than Sitting Bull."

There is nothing primitive about Blue Eagle.

He is a graduate of the University of Oklahoma, and is almost as familiar with the white man's history as that of his own people. He speaks Creek, Seminole, Choctaw, Cherokee, Pawnee and English and knows a splattering of German, French and Italian.

In 1935 he was invited to England for a series of lectures at Oxford University. From Oxford he toured England and the continent, lecturing and exhibiting.

His paintings hang in many museums in Europe as well as America.

Founded Art School

In 1936 Blue Eagle returned to Oklahoma and founded the art school at Bacone Indian College, Muskogee. He taught for four years, then decided he was "getting into a rut" and went back to free-lancing.

After a hitch in the Army Air Force during World War II, he free-lanced in Chicago and New York. But Blue Eagle found it difficult to earn a living. Even though critics generally lauded his work, he found no great market for Indian paintings and returned to Oklahoma in 1951.

Five years ago Blue Eagle went to the Okmulgee State Technical Training School to study ceramics, leatherwork and silk screening. The courses lasted only one year, but he still lives at the school and has his studio there. The studio is piled high with paintings, papers and artifacts, and he almost apologizes for the "Bohemian" atmosphere.

This year the Board of Directors of the American Indian Exposition at Anadarko, Okla., named Blue Eagle as the outstanding Indian of 1958.

The big artist still turns out about 120 paintings a year. He also does sculpturing and ceramics, and is working on two books.

His paintings depict all phases of Indian life—the hunts, games, ceremonies, dances and family life. As one critic once stated, they show a "sensitiveness achieved through intimate familiarity" of the subject and have a "spiritual quality."

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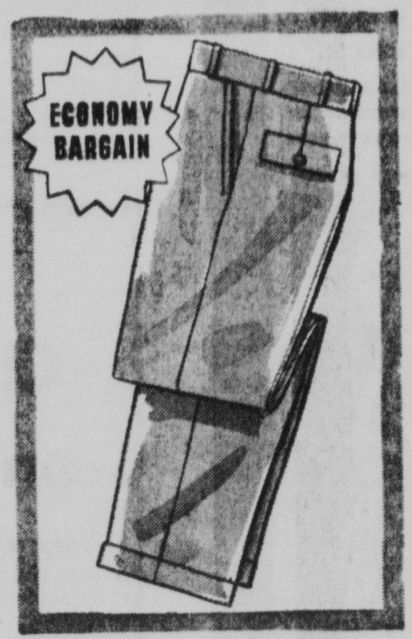

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"Too many people still look upon the Indian as a savage, and these Westerns on movies and TV haven't helped," says the big Creek-Pawnee who in 1933 worked as an Indian extra in Western movies.

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White Man's Spread

At 51, there is no question about the "civilization" of the Oklahoma reservation-born artist. He has a receding hairline, a big paunch and an infectious grin. He no longer looks like a dog soldier going into battle.

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There is nothing primitive about Blue Eagle.

He is a graduate of the University of Oklahoma, and is almost as familiar with the white man's history as that of his own people. He speaks Creek, Seminole, Choctaw, Cherokee, Pawnee and English and knows a splattering of German, French and Italian.

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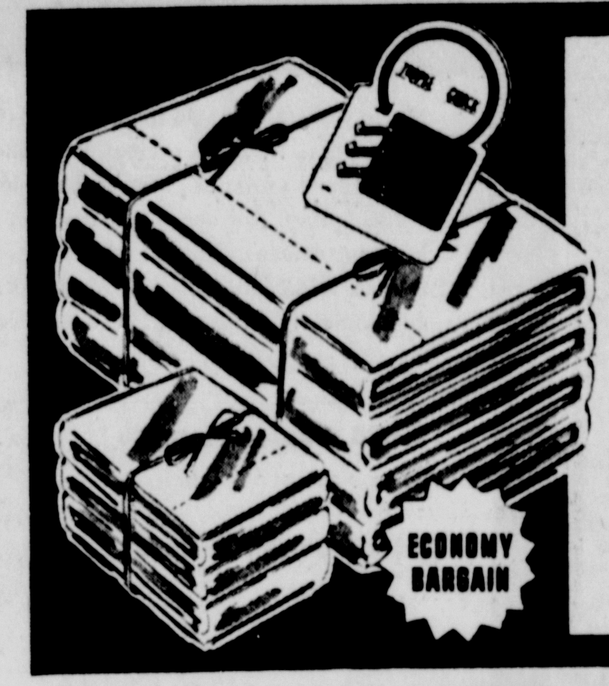

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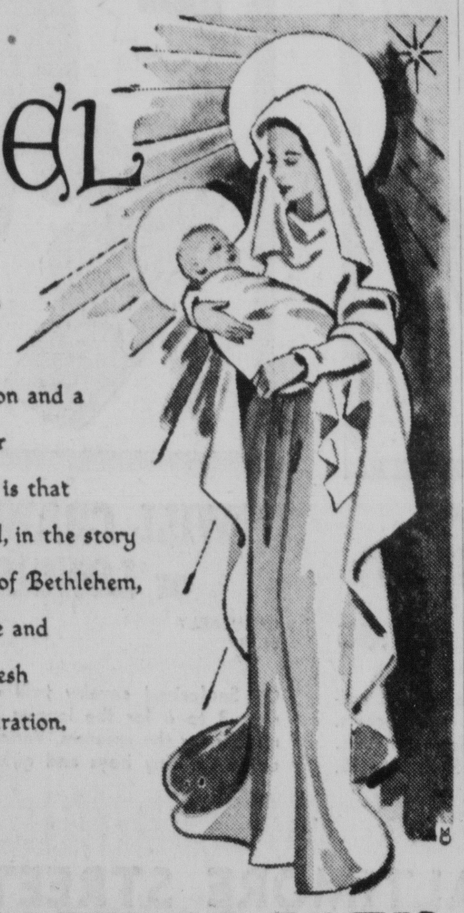

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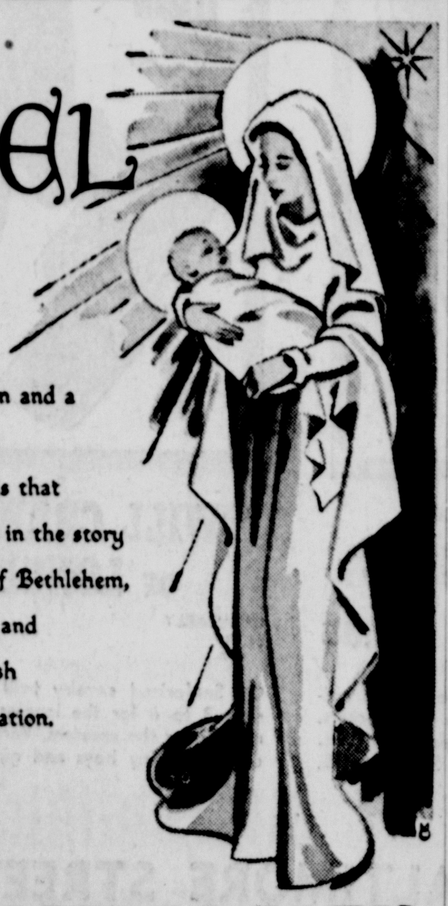

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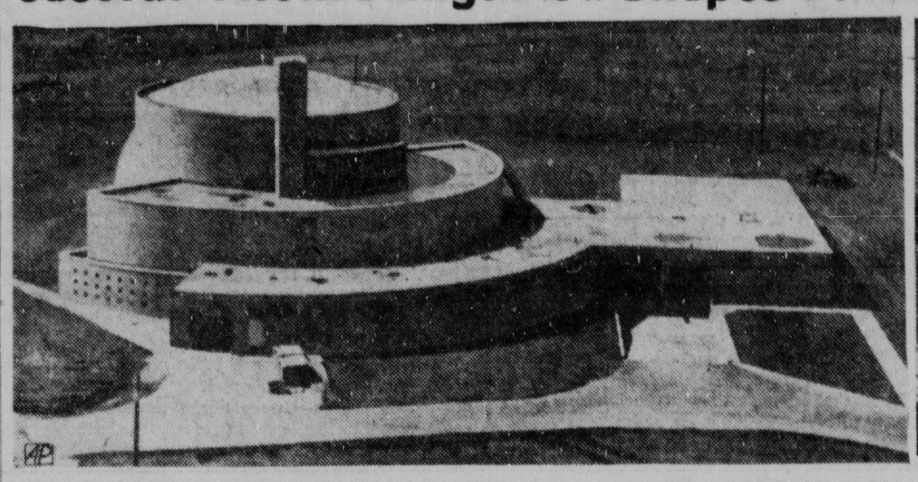

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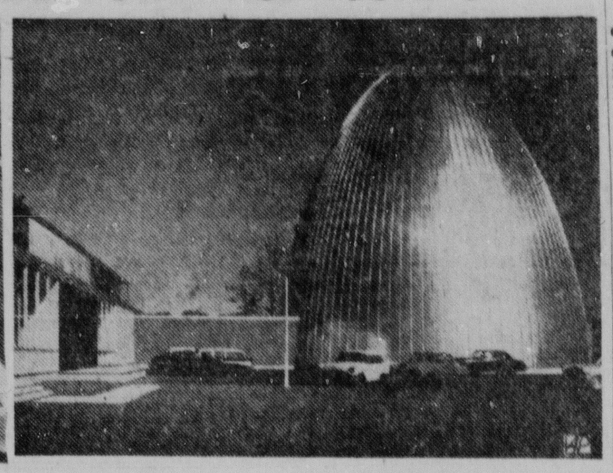

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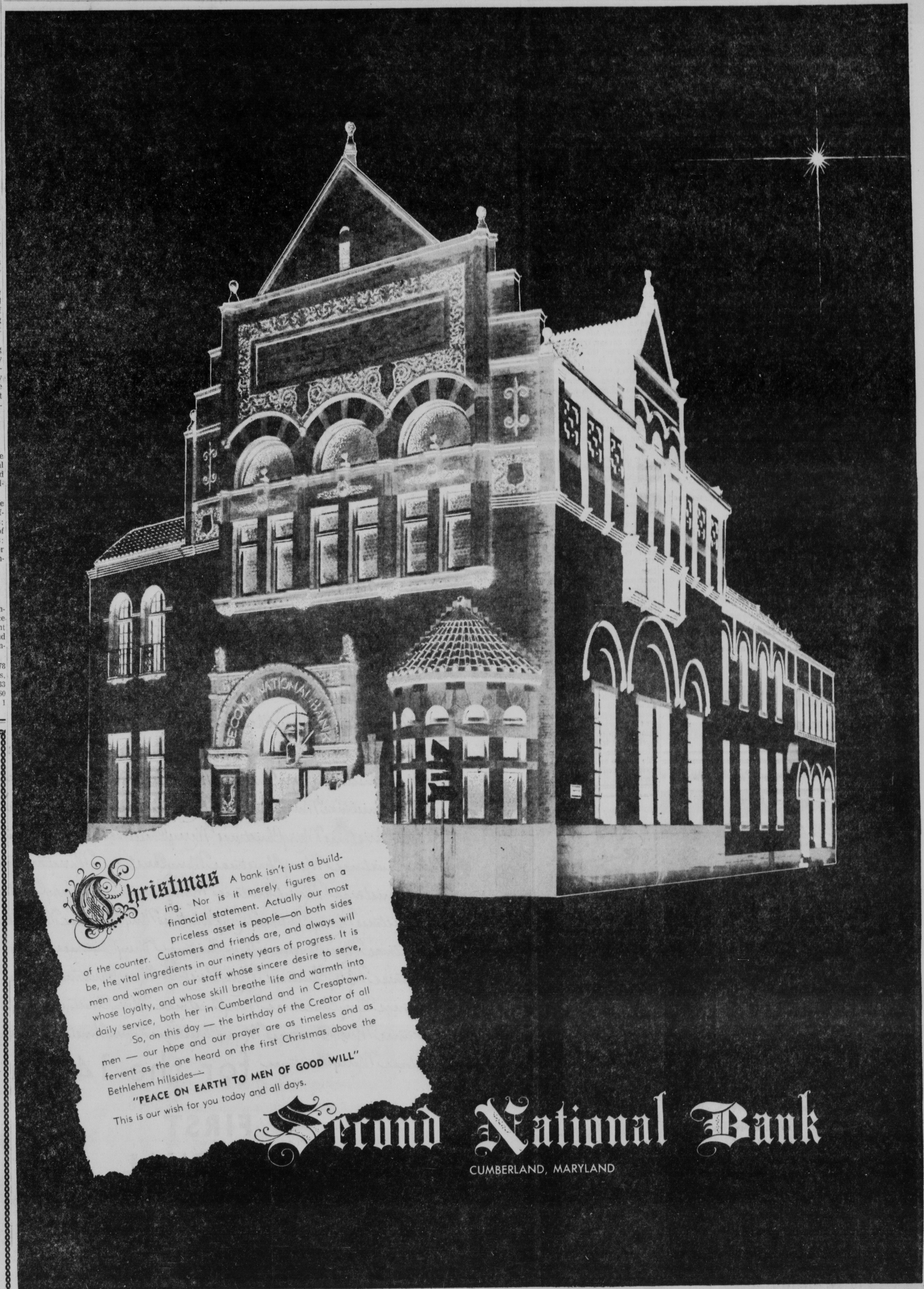

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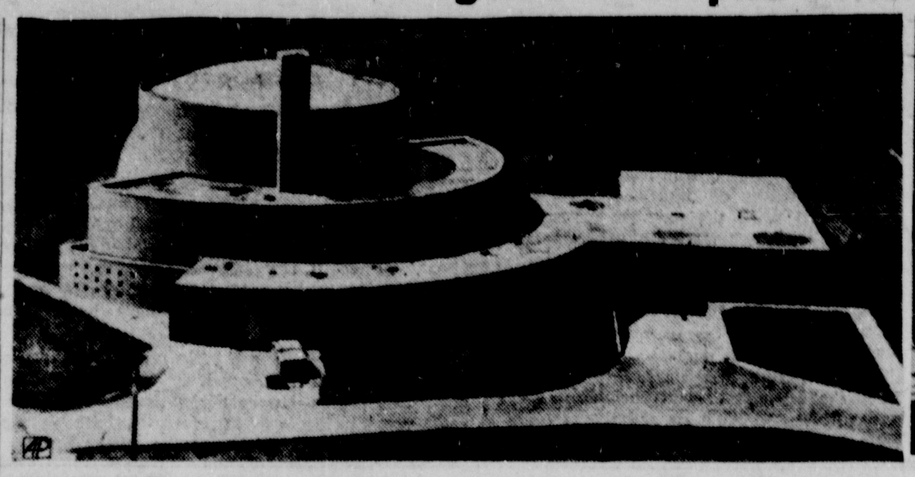

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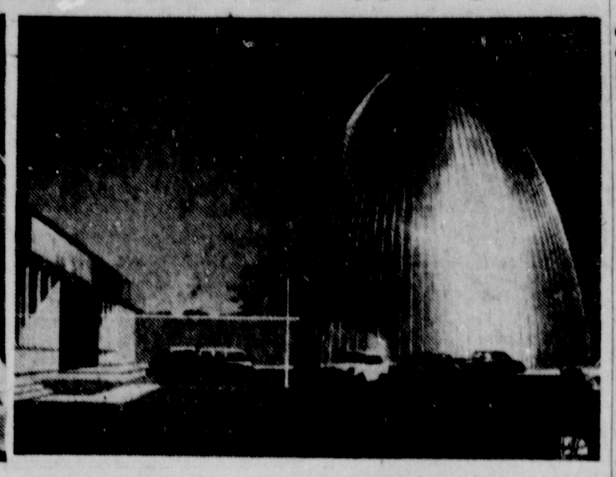

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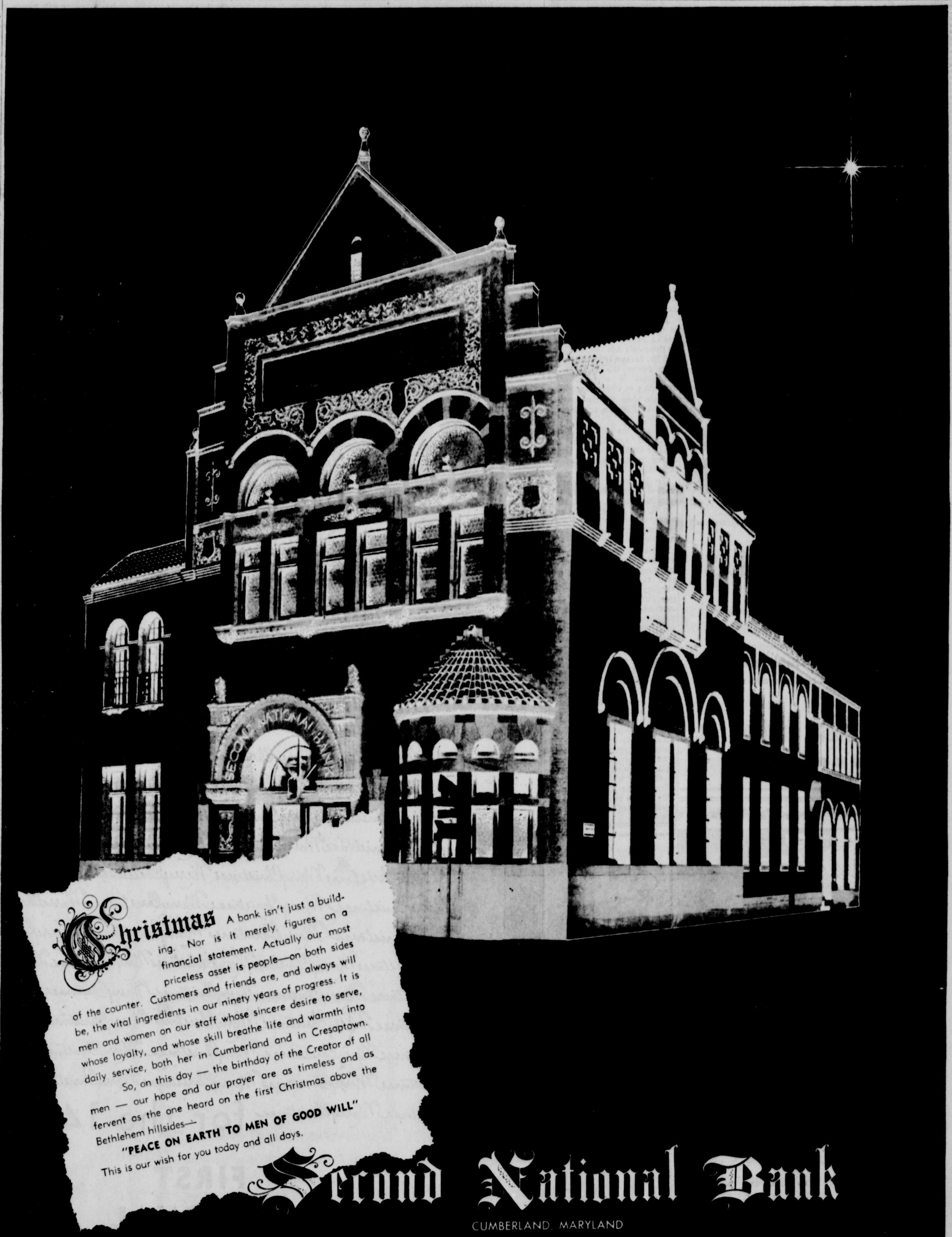

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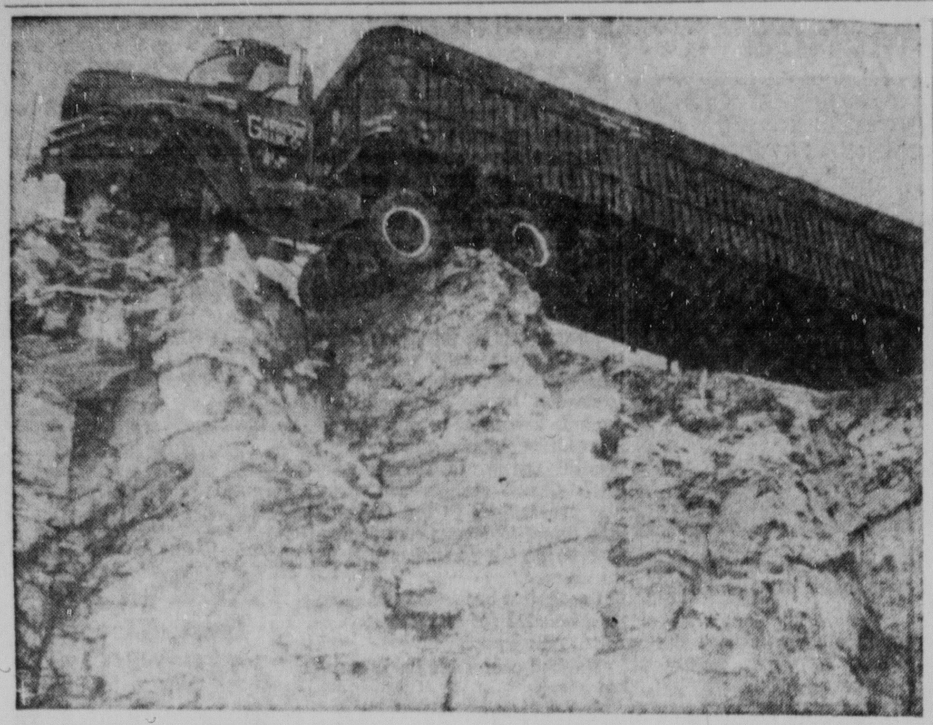

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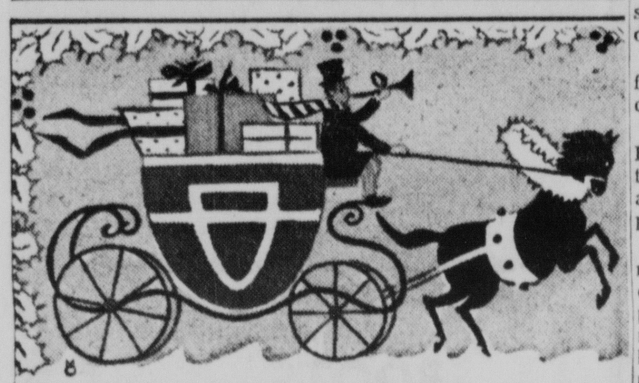

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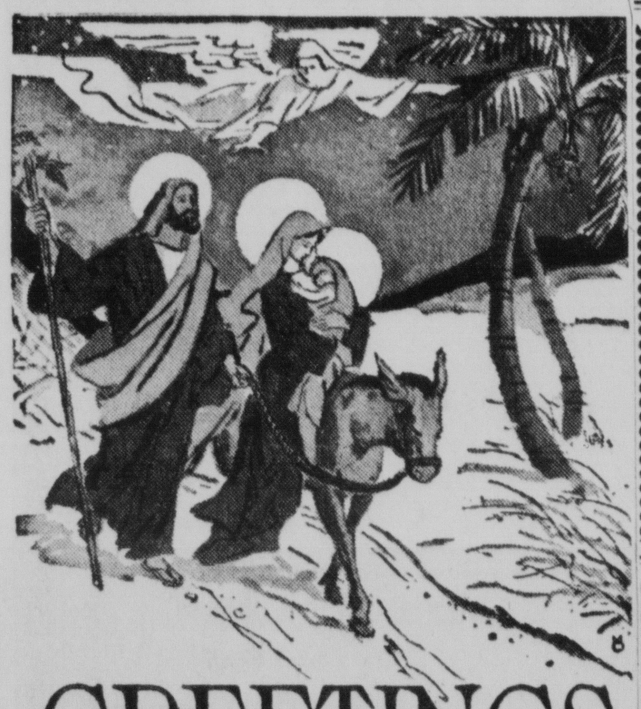

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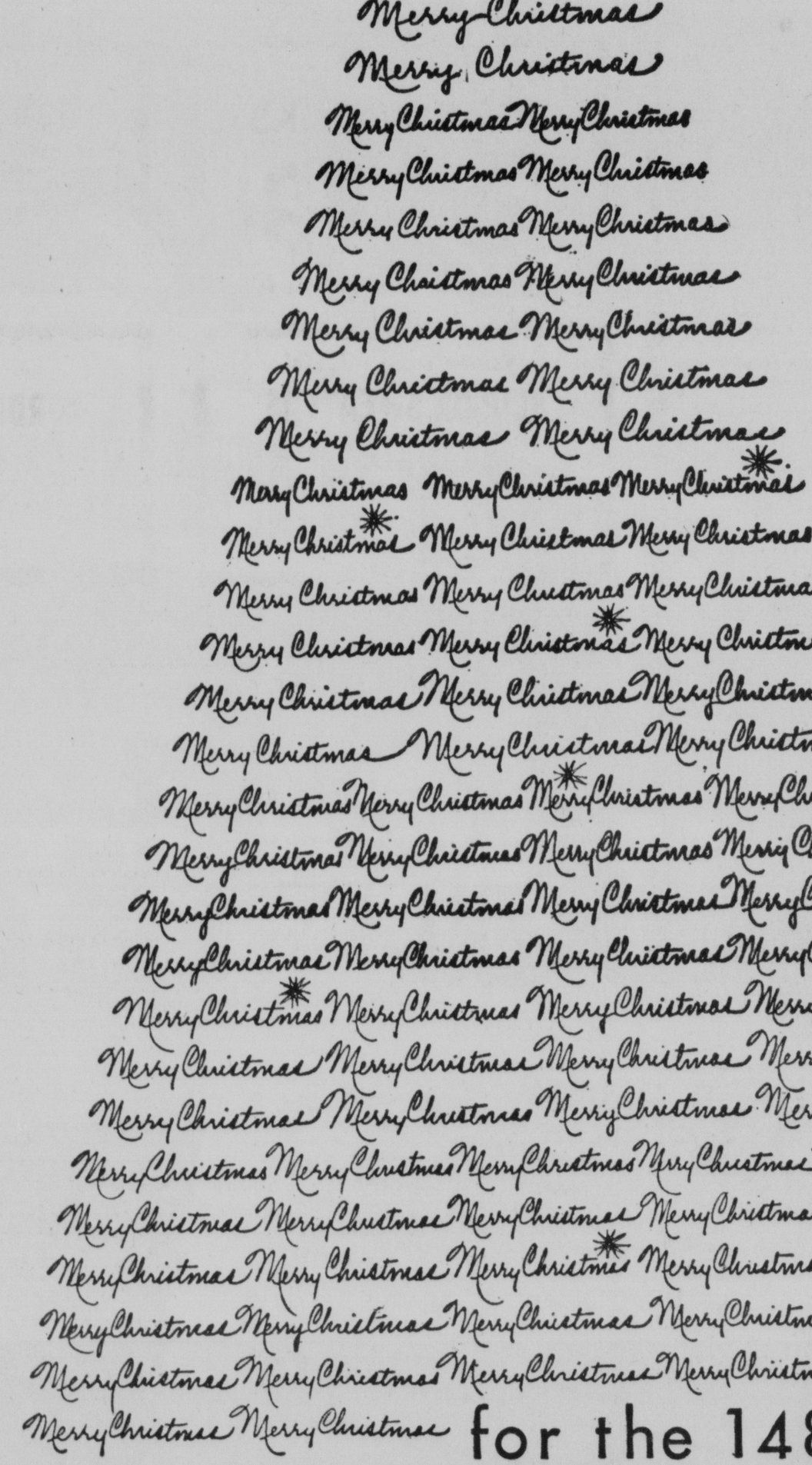
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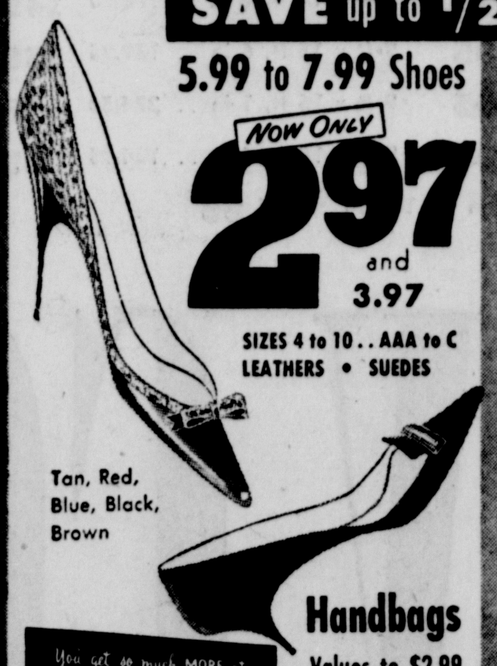

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By RAY SHAW

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"If successful, he would be a global fighter—ready to fight in the Arctic or the tropics with equal efficiency," said Dr. T. R. A. Davis.

The project is aimed at finding ways to build resistance to frostbite and chilling.

Research already has shown acclimatization to heat reduces possibility of heat stroke, exhaustion and collapse.

Davis has a staff of 34 military and civilian researchers at the U. S. Army Medical Research Laboratory here.

Resistance Increased

"Our research shows man, in a month's time, can undergo physiological changes increasing his resistance to cold injury," Davis said.

"Also, there is some evidence acclimatization to both heat and cold possibly can occur to the same person at one time."

This, however, is yet to be proved.

Experiments are conducted in a gray-walled room with high ceilings. It can be changed from cold to hot experiments with the flip of a switch.

Machines measure the effects of heat and cold on volunteers in the room.

During one visit, 10 soldiers were being adapted to cold weather. They wore only shorts. Five exercised constantly — the others played cards.

All had one thing in common: chattering teeth and shivering.

The temperature was 32 degrees Fahrenheit—not frigid, but cool enough for a topcoat. The men spent eight hours daily in the room. Meals were common GI fare.

Is it cold? A sergeant said between chattering teeth:

"Our goose bumps have their own goose bumps."

These men had been in the room eight hours a day for two weeks. At the end of 30 days they still will feel the cold. But the teeth chattering and shivering will have ended.

If Davis' conclusions are correct, these men ought to be ready for cold weather fighting.

In another three weeks the same soldiers could be conditioned for hot weather. For this temperatures would be kept at 120 degrees Fahrenheit.

Davis believes that soldiers can be conditioned to both heat and cold within two months and can have immunity to both for an indefinite time.

In the hot room, temperature, blood pressure, pulse rates and perspiration will change as the soldier's body adjusts.

Had To Adjust

Davis, a 41-year-old physiologist from the Cook Islands in the South Pacific, first noted as a teen-ager that a person can become used to extreme weather.

He left his tropical islands to attend school in Auckland, New Zealand.

"The first winter in New Zealand was misery," he said. "The next winter I stayed under an ice cold shower in the dead of winter for 43 minutes—still a record at the school.

His field is not a new one—"but one in which much is to be learned."

Example: Shivering is one of nature's ways of producing heat to replace that lost by the body in the cold. After 30 days, shivering ceases. Something else produces the heat in its place.

What is it? "We can only guess.

REFRIGERATED GI: A volunteer at the U. S. Army Medical Research Laboratory at Ft. Knox has his oxygen intake carefully measured in a "cold room" where he spends eight hours each day clad only in shorts. Object is to find ways to build resistance to frostbite and chilling.

Postal Sleuths Help Out Santa

GOEPPINGEN, Germany (UPI) — U. S. Army post office sleuths gave Santa a boost Tuesday by delivering a Christmas package to an American family although the parcel bore no name or address.

Army officials said the package had only a postal insurance number and a Houston, Tex., postmark.

Investigators opened the package and found gifts for "Theres," "Juanita," and other members of a family. But there were no last names. The gifts seemed to be for children, so the investigators checked local school rolls and found a Juanita Braly in the sixth grade.

Her mother was reached and she verified the names on the gifts as those of her five children.

The father, Sgt. Sam Braly, Jr., of Houston, picked up the package at the post office. It had been sent by his mother—the only Christmas package the family had been expecting.

Curfew Suspended

DAMASCUS, Syria (AP)—Baghdad radio said Tuesday that Iraqi Premier Abdel Karim Kassem has ordered the midnight curfew lifted throughout the country for Christmas Eve, Christmas Day, New Year's Eve, and Jan. 1. It was imposed July 14 after the coup d'etat that brought Kassem to power.

Epidemic Or Rampage

KARACHI, Pakistan (UPI) — A disease similar to cholera claimed 30 more victims Wednesday, boosting Karachi's death toll from the epidemic to 68 since Saturday. The Health Ministry identified the disease as gastroenteritis, a fast-acting killer which affects the stomach and intestines.

New Softness Found By Army In POW Study

NEW YORK (UPI)—The Army blames parental softness for the fact that most American soldiers captured by the Communists in Korea were unable to adjust to the hardships of captivity, it was reported this week.

McCall's Magazine, in a report on a five-year Army study of the Korean prisoners of war, said researchers had found basic weaknesses among GI prisoners.

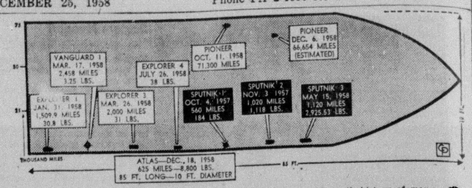
"They seemd to lack the old Yankee resourcefulness, partly —but only partly, the Army thinks —because of the psychic shock of being captured," the magazine said in an article on the report.

"A more important cause seem- ed to be some new failure in the childhood and adolescent training of the men—a new softness. The prisoners' attitude, seemingly was not 'what can I do to help myself?' but 'what can be done to help me?'

"Very few appeared interested even in providing themselves with the basic necessities of food, warmth and shelter. More than once the Chinese gave prisoners a chance to go up into the near-by hills for firewood, but usually they would not bother.

The Army told McCall's that demands for water, no food. Eventually he would die, unless the tide were turned.

as "give-up - itis." The sufferer first became despondent, then lay down and covered his head with a blanket, the report said. Then he wanted ice water to drink with his food. After that, came the worst problems in the POW camps was an illness known



WHAT'S GOING ON UP THERE?—Above is a capsule story of the 14-month history of man-made earth satellites. The Russian Sputnik I burned out Jan. 4, 1958; Sputnik II, April 14, 1958, and Sputnik III, Dec. 3, 1958. The American Explorer III is believed to have burned up in June. The life expectancy of the four American satellites still circling the globe follows: Explorer I, 3 to 5 years; Vanguard I, at least 200 years; Explorer IV, 5-10 years; Atlas, 20 days. *(Central Press)*

Christmas Card Deluge Started By Englishman

By RAYMOND PALMER

LONDON (AP) — Life may have been leisurely when hansom cabs rolled through the gaslit cobbled streets of London, but Sir Henry Cole never could keep up with his letter writing come Christmas time.

Cole, founder of London's Victoria and Albert Museum, had so many friends and relatives that it was quite an annual chore.

Then one gray December day in 1843, he had a bright idea — he got an artist friend to design a greeting card to replace the letters he didn't have time to write.

The Christmas card was born. Now it is big business.

Said a spokesman for Britain's biggest producer of greeting cards: "We reckon Britons will buy some 545 million Christmas cards this year and pay about $56 million dollars for them."

Out of that the government will collect a cool 14 million dollars in sales tax. And the post office will get at least another 14 million dollars in mailing fees.

"This year's total will be about 10 million cards up on last year."

"Our sales of Christmas cards have increased about 10 per cent annually over the past few years. We expect a similar increase this year."

The more you get, the more you have to send — and so it grows. All because Sir Henry couldn't keep up with his Christmas mail.

Vessel Runs Aground

PORT SAID (UPI)—The U. S. Navy auxiliary vessel Sgt. Archer T. Gammon ran aground in the Suez Canal south of Ismailia Wednesday. It was refloated undamaged when the tide rose. Canal traffic was not held up.

Some 81 million Americans take a summer vacation, yet newspaper circulation remains virtually constant—summer, winter, spring, and fall.

said the spokesman, "and last year's total was 100 million more than in 1949."

The total, it seems, just keeps on growing. Said a spokesman for a chain store with 1,300 branches:

Traffic Circle Dog Finally Captured

NEW BRUNSWICK, N.J. (AP)—That abandoned dog — which for eight weeks dodged the hand of friendship—was captured Tuesday.

The Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals used a wire cage trap baited with beef bone to capture the dog.

Dr. Benjamin W. Suydam of New Brunswick classified her "more collie than anything else."

The dog was recently dumped out of a car at the traffic circle on heavily traveled U.S. highway 1.

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LIVING ROOM FURNITURE

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$349.95	Mint green 3-pc. sectional, foam rubber	$319.95
$439.00	toast 3-pc section, foam rubber, Flexsteel	$389.95
$495.00	brown 3-pc. sectional, foam rubber, Flexsteel	$449.95
$159.95	red Naugahyde love seat	$119.95
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LIVING ROOM CHAIRS

$29.95	armless upholstered TV chairs	$23.95
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CONTOUR RECLINING CHAIRS

$69.95	Berkliner Recliner; choice of colors in combinations of Nylon and plastic	$49.95
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Army Project Aimed At Weather-Proof Soldier

By RAY SHAW

FT. KNOX, Ky. (AP) — The Army is trying to develop a formula for a more weather-proof soldier.

"If successful, he would be a global fighter—ready to fight in the Arctic or the tropics with equal efficiency," said Dr. T. R. A. Davis.

The project is aimed at finding ways to build resistance to frostbite and chilling.

Research already has shown acclimatization to heat reduces possibility of heat stroke, exhaustion and collapse.

Davis has a staff of 34 military and civilian researchers at the U. S. Army Medical Research Laboratory here.

Resistance increased

"Our research shows man, in a month's time, can undergo physiological changes increasing his resistance to cold injury," Davis said.

"Also, there is some evidence acclimatization to both heat and cold possibly can occur to the same person at one time."

This, however, is yet to be proved.

Experiments are conducted in a gray-walled room with high ceilings. It can be changed from cold to hot experiments with the flip of a switch.

Machines measure the effects of heat and cold on volunteers in the room.

During one visit, 10 soldiers were being adapted to cold weather. They wore only shorts. Five exercised constantly — the others played cards.

All had one thing in common: chattering teeth and shivering.

The temperature was 32 degrees Fahrenheit—not frigid, but cool enough for a topcoat. The men spent eight hours daily in the room. Meals were common GI fare.

Is it cold? A sergeant said between chattering teeth:

"Our goose bumps have their own goose bumps."

These men had been in the room eight hours a day for two weeks. At the end of 30 days they still will feel the cold. But the teeth chattering and shivering will have ended.

If Davis' conclusions are correct, these men ought to be ready for cold weather fighting.

In another three weeks the same soldiers could be conditioned for hot weather. For this temperatures would be kept at 120 degrees Fahrenheit.

Davis believes that soldiers can be conditioned to both heat and cold within two months and can have immunity to both for an indefinite time.

In the hot room, temperature, blood pressure, pulse rates and perspiration will change as the soldier's body adjusts.

Had To Adjust

Davis, a 41-year-old physiologist from the Cook Islands in the South Pacific, first noted as a teen-ager that a person can become used to extreme weather.

He left his tropical islands to attend school in Auckland, New Zealand.

"The first winter in New Zealand was misery," he said. "The next winter I stayed under an ice cold shower in the dead of winter for 43 minutes—still a record at the school.

His field is not a new one—"but one in which much is to be learned."

Example: Shivering is one of nature's ways of producing heat to replace that lost by the body in the cold. After 30 days, shivering ceases. Something else produces the heat in its place.

What is it? "We can only guess that something takes place inside the body," Davis said.

Persons living in temperate climates appear to acclimatize to the changing seasons annually, Davis said.

"They shiver well in October and much less in December. This indicates that man acclimatizes naturally. Can a person become permanently acclimatized? That's an interesting question we don't know."

REFRIGERATED GI: A volunteer at the U. S. Army Medical Research Laboratory at Ft. Knox has his oxygen intake carefully measured in a "cold room" where he spends eight hours each day clad only in shorts. Object is to find ways to build resistance to frostbite and chilling.

New Softness Found By Army In POW Study

NEW YORK (UPI)—The Army blames parental softness for the fact that most American soldiers captured by the Communists in Korea were unable to adjust to the hardships of captivity, it was reported this week.

McCall's Magazine, in a report on a five-year Army study of the Korean prisoners of war, said researchers had found basic weaknesses among GI prisoners.

"They seemd to lack the old Yankee resourcefulness, partly —but only partly, the Army thinks —because of the psychic shock of being captured," the magazine said in an article on the report.

"A more important cause seemed to be some new failure in the childhood and adolescent training of the men—a new softness. The prisoners' attitude, seemingly with the basic necessities of food, warmth and shelter. More than a chance to go up into the hills for firewood, but usually by the men were too lethargic.

The Army told McCall's that first became despondent, then lay down and covered his head with a blanket, the report said. Then he wanted ice water to drink with his food. After that, came demands for water, no food. Eventually he would die, unless the POW camps was an illness known even in providing tide were turned.

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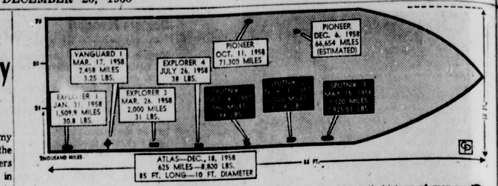

WHAT'S GOING ON UP THERE?—Above is a capsule story of the 14-month history of man-made earth satellites. The Russian Sputnik I burned out Jan. 4, 1958; Sputnik II, April 14, 1958, and Sputnik III, Dec. 3, 1958. The American Explorer III is believed to have burned up in June. The life expectancy of the four American satellites still circling the globe follows: Explorer I, 3 to 5 years; Vanguard I, at least 200 years; Explorer IV, 5-10 years; Atlas, 20 days. (Central Press)

Postal Sleuths Help Out Santa

GOEPPINGEN, Germany (UPI) — U. S. Army post office sleuths gave Santa a boost Tuesday by delivering a Christmas package to an American family although the parcel bore no name or address.

Army officials said the package had only a postal insurance number and a Houston, Tex., postmark.

Investigators opened the package and found gifts for "Theres," "Juanita," and other members of a family. But there were no last names. The gifts seemed to be for children, so the investigators checked local school rolls and found a Juanita Braly in the sixth grade.

Her mother was reached and she verified the names on the gifts as those of her five children.

The father, Sgt. Sam Braly, Jr., of Houston, picked up the package at the post office. It had been sent by his mother—the only Christmas package the family had been expecting.

Curfew Suspended

DAMASCUS, Syria (AP)—Baghdad radio said Tuesday that Iraqi Premier Abdel Karim Kassem has ordered the midnight curfew lifted throughout the country for Christmas Eve, Christmas Day, New Year's Eve, and Jan. 1. It was imposed July 14 after the coup d'etat that brought Kassem to power.

Epidemic Or Rampage

KARACHI, Pakistan (UPI) — A disease similar to cholera claimed 20 more victims Wednesday, boosting Karachi's death toll from the epidemic to 68 since Saturday. The Health Ministry identified the disease as gastroenteritis, a fast-acting killer which affects the stomach and intestines.

Christmas Card Deluge Started By Englishman

By RAYMOND PALMER

LONDON (AP) — Life may have been leisurely when hansom cabs rolled through the gaslit cobbled streets of London, but Sir Henry Cole never could keep up with his letter writing come Christmas time.

Cole, founder of London's Victoria and Albert Museum, had so many friends and relatives that it was quite an annual chore.

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The Christmas card was born. Now it is big business.

Said a spokesman for Britain's biggest producer of greeting cards: "We reckon Britons will buy some 545 million Christmas cards this year and pay about $56 million dollars for them."

Out of that the government said the spokesman, "and last year's total was 100 million more than in 1949."

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Vessel Runs Aground

PORT SAID (UPI)—The U. S. Navy auxiliary vessel Sgt. Archer T. Gammon ran aground in the Suez Canal south of Ismailia Wednesday. It was refloated undamaged when the tide rose. Canal traffic was not held up.

Some 81 million Americans take a summer vacation, yet newspaper circulation remains virtually constant—summer, winter, spring, and fall.

Traffic Circle Dog Finally Captured

NEW BRUNSWICK, N.J. (AP)—That abandoned dog — which for eight weeks dodged the hand of friendship-was captured Tuesday.

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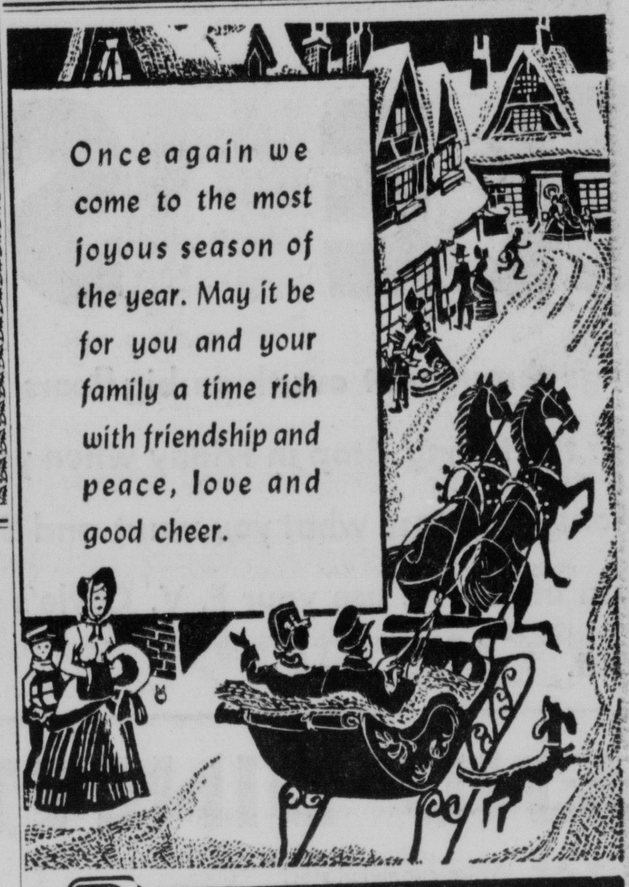

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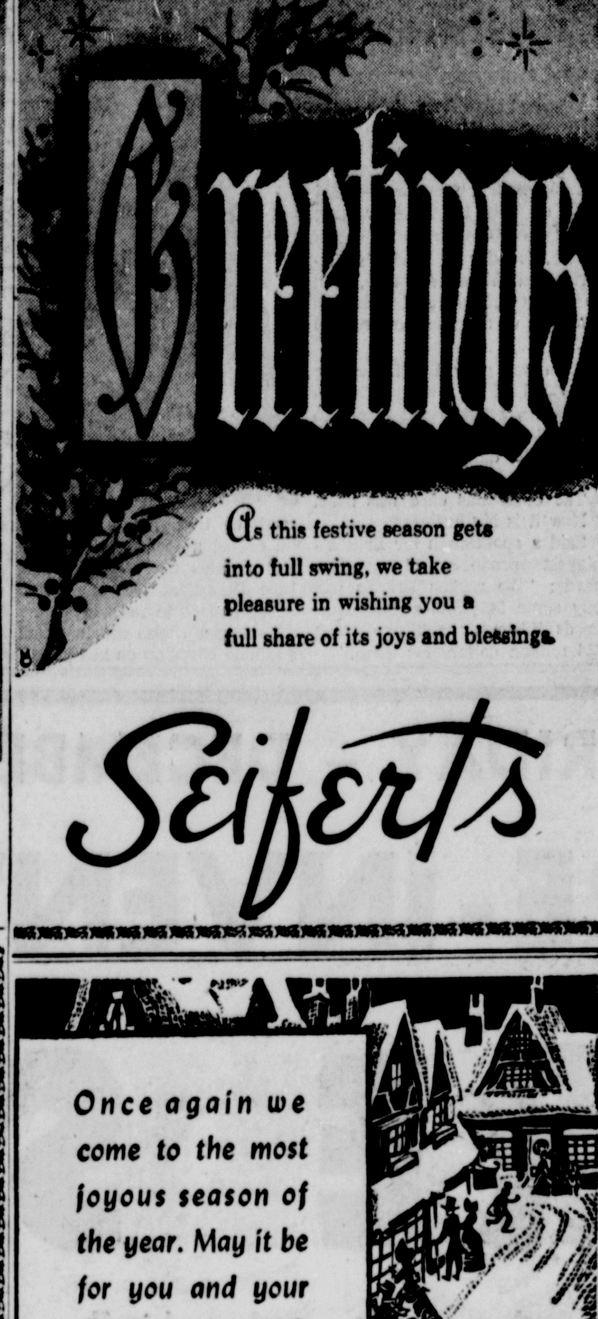

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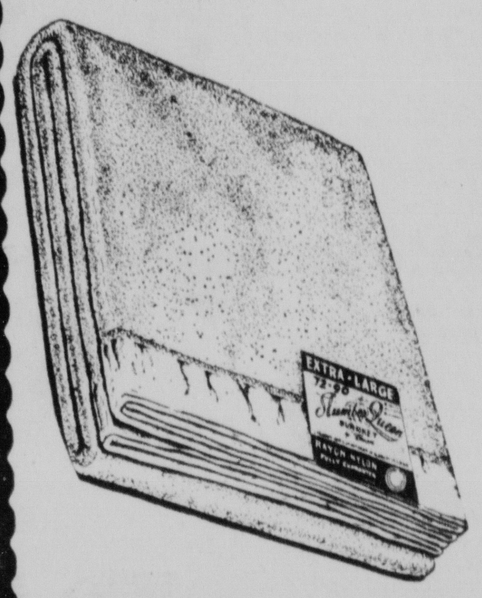

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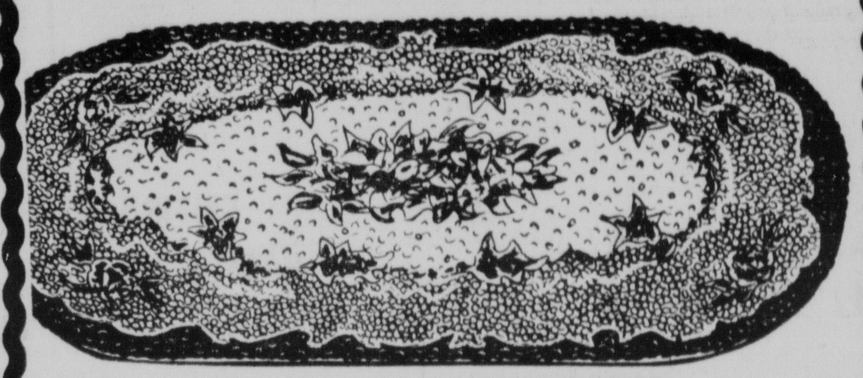

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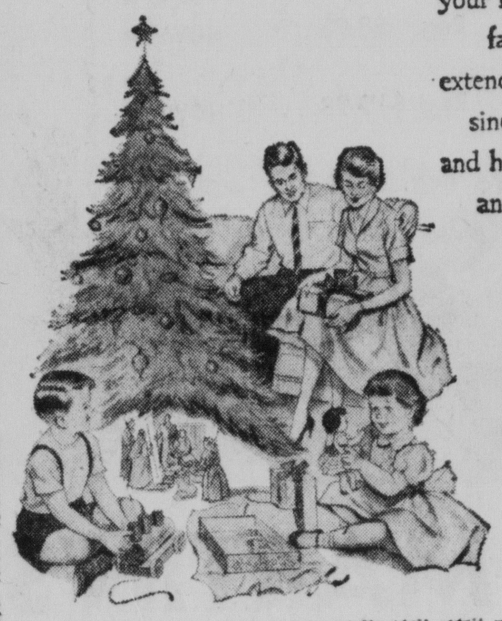

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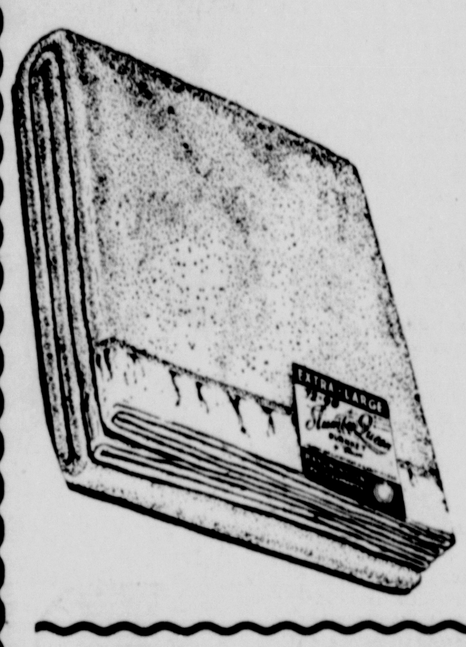

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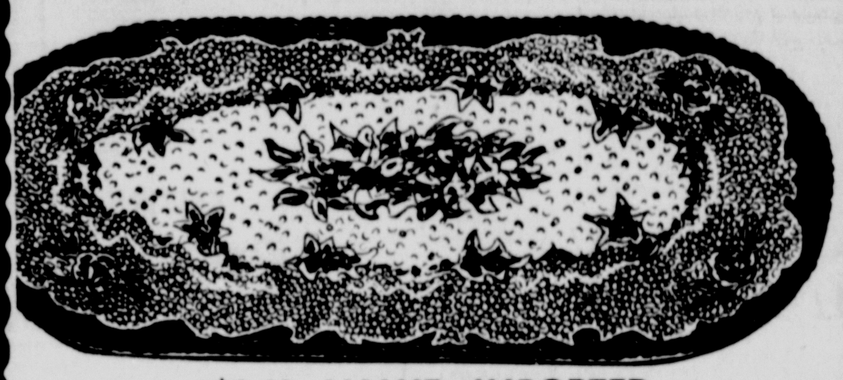

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The Inspiration Of Christmas

The Star of Bethlehem is a jewel of many facets. Its rays bespeak peace, hope, love. They write across the skies messages of truth. As the world reflects again upon the meaning of the first Christmas, it is well to recall that the event which took place that day in tiny Bethlehem of Judea was the Incarnation of Truth.

"For this end was I born," said Christ as He stood before Pilate a short life-span later, "and for this cause came I into the world — to bear witness to the truth."

That great quality, He taught, is not something abstract. It is the thing that men must live by if life is to have meaning. It is the touchstone by which men test realities.

It is the lodestar of history, the criterion of science, the essence of philosophy, the adhesive of human relationships.

Christianity is an old faith, and a strong one. Perhaps its greatest strength is found in the story of Jesus' birth. Even in bare outline, the tale is lovely and tender. Its power over the emotions of mankind will last as long as children are born and love endures.

"There was once a dictator who decreed a tax on all the men in the world, each in his own home town. So Joseph walked all the way to Bethlehem with his young wife Mary, in whom the child stirred.

"There was no room in the inn, so Joseph and Mary slept in the barn. And there in a manger, with the warm cattle around them, the Child was born.

"Wise men from far lands, led by a great bright star to that dim manger, bowed down humbly to offer their sweet and costly gifts. Beside them stood shepherds with the gift of wonder.

"An angel had brought them the tidings in the starry darkness. And a heavenly chorus had sung for their ears:

"'Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men.'"

It is this story that we celebrate on Christmas Day. On other days its inspiration is ours to live by.

Time For That Pause

These Days

By George E. Sokolsky

. . . Good Will To Men

1917-1959, the years pass but the problem remains the same. It is Russia. At no period since the October Revolution in 1917 has the world faced any problem as serious, as pressing, as important as the very existence of the Soviet Republic. For here is situated a cancer that gives off emanations in all directions. Under Lenin and Trotzky, Stalin, Khrushchev and the intermediaries that came during the bloody interregnums, the moral disease remained the same. There has been no change at any time and those who sought it and believed that evil could be good, merely by changing its name, were too often fooled.

Generations, like men, weary of a constant fray or even get used to it. After a while, it is taken for granted that the largest share of our taxes should be spent only to prevent being absorbed by this cancer. The country rejoices that we have shot the Atlas and that it has orbited and that from it the President has broadcasted "Peace on earth, good will to men."

But the enormous cost of this exposition of power is also preparation for war and we are not pursuing the peaceful ends of science and it is not necessary to believe what is not true to justify anything. We are accelerating our knowledge and our skills to meet the enemy step by step. If in the end we benefit by the advantages of science and discipline it will be an added compensation. If from all this, one nation gathers such moral strength as it did during the period of doubt and travail from 1812 to 1860, then we shall indeed have gained much.

For it was that earlier American period of troubled times that formed us a nation. Whether this continent was to be Balkanized into fragments—a house divided against itself—or would stand a united nation, a union, as it was called, required at the time of the best intelligence of the nation and finally even the arbitrament of war.

And because that issue was uppermost in everyone's mind, the people were intensely nationalistic; the songs of the nation were nationalistic and an American was ready to fight the world for the honor and dignity of his country. But that readiness was measured by the very general opinion held by Washington, Jefferson, Monroe and most of the leaders of early America that entangling alliances entangled and that in the affairs of Europe we could have little interest. In fact, more and more, we devoted ourselves to the development of the economic life of the country and a little people became a great and a rich people. It was Calvinistic philosophy of prime individualism and it achieved more for human good in a century than in any half dozen centuries of history.

It was a period of the broadest good will. Religious tolerance existed, with few and sporadic expressions of bigotry, as it had never been known on Earth before. In fact, sectarianism grew to a point of the ridiculous as the denominations proliferated. The same was true of sectarian ideas. Newspapers and magazines filled the land and freedom of expression existed as never before in any organized society.

The conflicts along economic lines were classical—between an agrarian proletariat that wanted soft money and an urbanized middle class that demanded a gold base for money and which accumulated money in centers, as those who were able to have been accumulating money in centers since the days of Joseph in Egypt.

One of the most persistent facts in human history is the struggle between soft and hard money, between the employment of a currency that gives the appearance of a plentiful money supply and of a currency which contains the substance of a money supply.

In all up-going periods in history, hard money prevails and it is a curious fact that Marxist Russia, departing from the traditions of capitalism, is nevertheless today the principal hard money country in the world, basing its currency on gold. On the other hand, the United States which is suffering, we hope temporarily, a down-going period is today as much a soft money country as it is soft in patriotism, soft in nationalism, confused about political and social ideas. Softness is a characteristic of the period.

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Christmas Spirit Could Resolve Some Of America's Big Problems

By Drew Pearson

(Drew Pearson is now on his annual Christmas trip to help entertain American troops in out-of-the-way places. He has made two trips to Greenland, one to North Africa, and this year Alaska.)

EN ROUTE OVER ALASKA—Flying over the rocky, icy peaks of Alaska you get a chance to think. And the boys up here on the winter nights when you scarcely see the sun, also have plenty of time to think.

Naturally they think of home and of other Christmases, and things they would most like to remember about home. I have been doing the same thing. Here are some scenes in other parts of the USA that flash back as we spend Christmas in the Arctic:

A gymnasium in Clinton, Tenn., crowded with 3,000 people listening to Billy Graham. Outside through the windows you can see the shell of the old schoolhouse bombed out by a dynamiter. The 3,000 people are celebrating the fact that about enough money has been raised to go ahead with the new school.

Billy Graham says: "This is a time when some people are swayed by hot heads and cold hearts. But it should be a time for cool heads and warm hearts. Only love and understanding can cure the race problem in the south today."

The bombed-out synagogue in Atlanta—Dust and debris, torn prayer books and little girls' drawings. Another example of hate in a country which was founded by those who wanted to escape hate. I couldn't help but think of this at a season when we are taught to follow Him who preached love.

The schoolhouse in Osage, W. Va. — Twisted pipes, torn-up floors, smashed chandeliers, men wheeling out the plaster, the bricks and the dust. But nearby in other makeshift schools, children quietly studying, determined not to be deterred by hate.

Prisoners Of Extremists

And talks with leaders in the south, in Florida, Georgia, Alabama, North Carolina, Tennessee —people who want to get along with other people, but have become virtual prisoners of the extremists.

Also I remembered talks with leaders in the north who likewise have become victims of extremists.

In New York, Congressman Adam Clayton Powell of Harlem, indicted for income-tax evasion, three of his secretaries indicted or convicted, who had a terrible absentee record in Congress, is re-elected overwhelmingly because he wrapped the civil rights issue around him. With this protection no one could beat him—in Harlem.

In Arkansas, Gov. Orval Faubus wrapped the anti-civil rights issue around him and likewise became unbeatable.

The moderates, the reasonable men who are willing to listen, to sit down and talk with their fellow men, have become prisoners —victims of the extremists.

Perhaps what we need most in the USA at this Christmas season is a little people-to-people friendship. We have been working at winning friends abroad—which is necessary. Even more necessary we need to win friends among ourselves. We can't go on being a nation divided.

Northern Bigotry

The south has no monopoly on intolerance. I recall as I left Washington a plaintive letter regarding a cemetery in Minneapolis which would not permit a Sioux Indian to be buried there.

Mr. and Mrs. David Erickson were sold a family burial plot in the Sunset Memorial Park in Minneapolis. Later Mrs. Erickson learned that the contract she signed wasn't valid because she is an Indian. The cemetery caters only to Caucasians. So her husband can be buried there, but she cannot rest beside him. It's all right for them to live together a man and wife, but they cannot lie together in death—not, at least, in Sunset Memorial Park.

Almost every big northern city has its race problem. Some face greater problems than in the south. This is not their fault. It results from the sudden shifting of populations, from poor housing, inadequate schools, the difficulty people have living together in close, crowded proximity.

In some areas of Philadelphia and New York it's dangerous for white men to walk at night and almost impossible for women. In a sense, these are local problems, but in a larger sense they are national problems. They concern the entire nation, just as much as the race problem in the south concerns the nation.

In some parts of the south racial bitterness has increased to the point where men will fight and die rather than have their schools integrated. In other parts of the south integration would be fairly simple but has been blocked by extremists and rabble-rousers.

Traveling through the south, and now traveling through the extreme north with plenty of time to think about the great teachings given us by Him who was born 2,000 years ago, it seemed to me that we need to really get down and work at a better understanding of each other.

If the mayors of some of the great cities of the north which have a pressing race problem, and some of the church leaders of both north and south, would sit down with some of the governors of the south who have given great thought to this problem, such as Gov. Jim Coleman of Mississippi and Luther Hodges of North Carolina and Le Roy Collins of Florida, then perhaps we could begin to work at understanding among our fellow men.

Certainly the USA cannot stand strong abroad while torn by dissension at home.

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Ike's Budget: A Challenge And A Reassurance

By David Lawrence

WASHINGTON—President Eisenhower has flung a challenge to the "spenders." He has announced that a balanced budget for the coming fiscal year at around 77 billions is feasible and will be recommended to the next session of Congress. This is lower than last year's budget by about $2,200,000,000.

The President is counting, of course, on a substantial increase in receipts from the present tax rates—due to the improvement in business conditions generally. It is likely that even if the formal budget is not exactly in balance there will be a cash surplus anyhow.

This is welcome news to the country. Politically it is a wise move. For it places the full responsibility on the Democratic Party—which controls Congress—to keep the expenditures in line with the recommendation of the President. If there is considerable deviation, the American people will be able to tell which party should properly be called the party of the "spenders" and which one is the party of the "savers."

Mr. Eisenhower's statement significantly declares that the balanced budget is designed "to prevent inflation, to encourage economic expansion, and to fulfill American responsibilities of world leadership."

Lately there has been worry abroad about the decline in the value of the dollar. A balanced budget, as the President says, is an assurance that "our government is determined to live within its means."

Broadly speaking the news of the President's action does not come a moment too soon. The Congressional elections had been widely interpreted as meaning that the "spenders" were to be in the saddle and that persons with fixed incomes could expect a further decline in the purchasing power of the dollar due to bigger and bigger federal deficits.

With all the talk about "liberalism" and "conservatism," there is no issue that counts for more among the millions of persons of fixed income than a sound dollar. The drive for "welfare" spending has lately been renewed. Anybody who believes in a balanced budget and favors paying off the public debt instead of indulging in more and more extravagances has been denounced by the spenders as a "reactionary" or as being "to the right of McKinley." It is, of course, old fashioned to pay one's debts and not to spend more money than one takes in. The "modern" idea in politics is that government spending can be without limit and that the more that is spent the higher will be the national income.

Unfortunately, the history of bankrupt countries from ancient days is the same—there are always politicians who defy economic laws. The one thing they miscalculate is the confidence of the people in their own monetary unit. This suddenly vanishes into thin air when people become convinced that there is never going to be any balanced budget or payment of the public debt. Inflation is bearable up to the point where people suddenly grow panicky and lose confidence in the dollar, as prices soar. Then runaway inflation ensues, and the story of what happened in Germany in 1923 is recent enough to warn the present generation that people do not believe indefinitely in the infallibility of a government that keeps on running deficits.

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Gadsby was off base all around on this one. For one thing, the offering was by the Ford Foundation and not by the motor company.

Gadsby made his attacks on the Ford offering in a speech before the Investment Bankers Association on December 3.

Among other things he said about the Ford offering was the following:

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The statement is misleading and doesn't square with the facts. If an underwriter made such a false statement the SEC would jump down his throat.

The attorneys for Ford, the Foundation and the underwriters immediately protested and Gadsby found he had to back down and apologize. This he did on December 4, wiring the lawyers:

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By William Ritt

Mice, monkeys, dogs and now a Brazilian cat is to sent aloft in a rocket. With all that squeaking, yapping and meowing, outer space is going to become an awfully noisy place.

Two Germans have just completed their bicycle tour of the world. Took 'em 1,095 days. Sounds like a nice three-year vacation!

The hula hoop craze has reached Africa where many natives, we understand, are giving it a whirl.

A London book collector has just paid $23,800 for a set of four early editions of Shakespeare's works. We always have regarded the Bard of Avon's words as golden!

A two-ton statue of Alexander the Great has been unearthed at Tarsus, Turkey. In history, too, Alex was quite a big boy.

There was quite a snowstorm over Miami. However, it occurred at the height of 25,000 feet—much to the relief of winter resort press agents.

The International Geophysical Year is nearing its end. It seemed to pass just as swiftly as other years—though this one had 18 months in it.

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The Inspiration Of Christmas

The Star of Bethlehem is a jewel of many facets. Its rays bespeak peace, hope, love. They write across the skies messages of truth. As the world reflects again upon the meaning of the first Christmas, it is well to recall that the event which took place that day in tiny Bethlehem of Judea was the Incarnation of Truth.

"For this end was I born," said Christ as He stood before Pilate a short life-span later, "and for this cause came I into the world — to bear witness to the truth."

That great quality, He taught, is not something abstract. It is the thing that men must live by if life is to have meaning. It is the touchstone by which men test realities.

It is the lodestar of history, the criterion of science, the essence of philosophy, the adhesive of human relationships.

Christianity is an old faith, and a strong one. Perhaps its greatest strength is found in the story of Jesus' birth. Even in bare outline, the tale is lovely and tender. Its power over the emotions of mankind will last as long as children are born and love endures.

"There was once a dictator who decreed a tax on all the men in the world, each in his own home town. So Joseph walked all the way to Bethlehem with his young wife Mary, in whom the child stirred.

"There was no room in the inn, so Joseph and Mary slept in the barn. And there in a manger, with the warm cattle around them, the Child was born.

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"An angel had brought them the tidings in the starry darkness. And a heavenly chorus had sung for their ears:

" 'Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men.' "

It is this story that we celebrate on Christmas Day. On other days its inspiration is ours to live by.

These Days

By George E. Sokolsky

. . . Good Will To Men

1917-1959, the years pass but the problem remains the same. It is Russia. At no period since the October Revolution in 1917 has the world faced any problem as serious, as pressing, as important as the very existence of the Soviet Republic. For here is situated a cancer that gives off emanations in all directions. Under Lenin and Trotzky, Stalin, Khrushchev and the intermediaries that came during the bloody interregnums, the moral disease remained the same. There has been no change at any time and those who sought it and believed that evil could be good, merely by changing its name, were too often fooled.

Generations, like men, weary of a constant fray or even get used to it. After a while, it is taken for granted that the largest share of our taxes should be spent only to prevent being absorbed by this cancer. The country rejoices that we have shot the Atlas and that it has orbited and that from it the President has broadcasted "Peace on earth, good will to men."

But the enormous cost of this exposition of power is also preparation for war and we are not pursuing the peaceful ends of science and it is not necessary to believe what is not true to justify anything. We are accelerating our knowledge and our skills to meet the enemy step by step. If in the end we benefit by the advantages of science and discipline it will be an added compensation. If from all this, one nation gathers such moral strength as it did during the period of doubt and travail from 1812 to 1860, then we shall indeed have gained much.

For it was that earlier American period of troubled times that formed us a nation. Whether this continent was to be Balkanized into fragments—a house divided against itself—or would stand a united nation, a union, as it was called, required at the time of the best intelligence of the nation and finally even the arbitrament of war.

And because that issue was uppermost in everyone's mind, the people were intensely nationalistic; the songs of the nation were nationalistic and an American was ready to fight the world for the honor and dignity of his country. But that readiness was measured by the very general opinion held by Washington, Jefferson, Monroe and most of the leaders of early America that entangling alliances entangled and that in the affairs of Europe we could have little interest. In fact, more and more, we devoted ourselves to the development of the economic life of the country and a little people became a great and a rich people. It was Calvinistic philosophy of prime individualism and it achieved more for human good in a century than in any half dozen centuries of history.

It was a period of the broadest good will. Religious tolerance existed, with few and sporadic expressions of bigotry, as it had never been known on Earth before. In fact, sectarianism grew to a point of the ridiculous as the denominations proliferated. The same was true of sectarian ideas. Newspapers and magazines filled the land and freedom of expression existed as never before in any organized society.

The conflicts along economic lines were classical—between an agrarian proletariat that wanted soft money and an urbanized middle class that demanded a gold base for money and which accumulated money in centers, as those who were able to have been accumulating money in centers since the days of Joseph in Egypt.

One of the most persistent facts in human history is the struggle between soft and hard money, between the employment of a currency that gives the appearance of a plentiful money supply and of a currency which contains the substance of a money supply.

In all up-going periods in history, hard money prevails and it is a curious fact that Marxist Russia, departing from the traditions of capitalism, is nevertheless today the principal hard money country in the world, basing its currency on gold. On the other hand, the United States which is suffering, we hope temporarily, a down-going period is today as much a soft money country as it is soft in patriotism, soft in nationalism, confused about political and social ideas. Softness is a characteristic of the period.

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Time For That Pause

Ike's Budget: A Challenge And A Reassurance

By David Lawrence

WASHINGTON—President Eisenhower has flung a challenge to the "spenders." He has announced that a balanced budget for the coming fiscal year at around 77 billions is feasible and will be recommended to the next session of Congress. This is lower than last year's budget by about $2,200,000,000.

The President is counting, of course, on a substantial increase in receipts from the present tax rates—due to the improvement in business conditions generally. It is likely that even if the formal budget is not exactly in balance there will be a cash surplus anyhow.

This is welcome news to the country. Politically it is a wise move. For it places the full responsibility on the Democratic Party—which controls Congress—to keep the expenditures in line with the recommendation of the President. If there is considerable deviation, the American people will be able to tell which party should properly be called the party of the "spenders" and which one is the party of the "savers."

Mr. Eisenhower's statement significantly declares that the balanced budget is designed "to prevent inflation, to encourage economic expansion, and to fulfill American responsibilities of world leadership."

Lately there has been worry abroad about the decline in the value of the dollar. A balanced budget, as the President says, is an assurance that "our government is determined to live within its means."

Broadly speaking the news of the President's action does not come a moment too soon. The Congressional elections had been widely interpreted as meaning that the "spenders" were to be in the saddle and that persons with fixed incomes could expect a further decline in the purchasing power of the dollar due to bigger and bigger federal deficits.

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(Drew Pearson is now on his annual Christmas trip to help entertain American troops in out-of-the-way places. He has made two trips to Greenland, one to North Africa, and this year Alaska.)

EN ROUTE OVER ALASKA—Flying over the rocky, icy peaks of Alaska you get a chance to think. And the boys up here on the winter nights when you scarcely see the sun, also have plenty of time to think.

Naturally they think of home and of other Christmases, and things they would most like to remember about home. I have been doing the same thing. Here are some scenes in other parts of the USA that flash back as we spend Christmas in the Arctic:

A gymnasium in Clinton, Tenn., crowded with 3,000 people listening to Billy Graham. Outside through the windows you can see the shell of the old schoolhouse bombed out by a dynamiter. The 3,000 people are celebrating the fact that about enough money has been raised to go ahead with the new school.

Billy Graham says: "This is a time when some people are swayed by hot heads and cold hearts. But it should be a time for cool heads and warm hearts. Only love and understanding can cure the race problem in the south today."

The bombed-out synagogue in Atlanta—Dust and debris, torn prayer books and little girls' drawings. Another example of hate in a country which was founded by those who wanted to escape hate. I couldn't help but think of this at a season when we are taught to follow Him who preached love.

The schoolhouse in Osage, W. Va. — Twisted pipes, torn-up floors, smashed chandeliers, men wheeling out the plaster, the bricks and the dust. But nearby in other makeshift schools, children quietly studying, determined not to be deterred by hate.

Prisoners Of Extremists

And talks with leaders in the south, in Florida, Georgia, Alabama, North Carolina, Tennessee —people who want to get along with other people, but have become virtual prisoners of the extremists.

Also I remembered talks with leaders in the north who likewise have become victims of extremists.

In New York, Congressman Adam Clayton Powell of Harlem, indicted for income-tax evasion, three of his secretaries indicted or convicted, who had a terrible absentee record in Congress, is re-elected overwhelmingly because he wrapped the civil rights issue around him. With this protection no one could beat him—in Harlem.

In Arkansas, Gov. Orval Faubus wrapped the anti-civil rights issue around him and likewise became unbeatable.

The moderates, the reasonable men who are willing to listen, to sit down and talk with their fellow men, have become prisoners —victims of the extremists.

Perhaps what we need most in the USA at this Christmas season is a little people-to-people friendship. We have been working at winning friends abroad—which is necessary. Even more necessary we need to win friends among ourselves. We can't go on being a nation divided.

Northern Bigotry

The south has no monopoly on intolerance. I recall as I left Washington a plaintive letter regarding a cemetery in Minneapolis which would not permit a Sioux Indian to be buried there.

Mr. and Mrs. David Erickson were sold a family burial plot in the Sunset Memorial Park in Minneapolis. Later Mrs. Erickson learned that the contract she signed wasn't valid because she is an Indian. The cemetery caters only to Caucasians. So her husband can be buried there, but she cannot rest beside him. It's all right for them to live together a man and wife, but they cannot lie together in death—not, at least, in Sunset Memorial Park.

Almost every big northern city has its race problem. Some face greater problems than in the south. This is not their fault. It results from the sudden shifting of populations, from poor housing, inadequate schools, the difficulty people have living together in close, crowded proximity.

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Gadsby's Apology

By Leslie Gould

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Gadsby was off base all around on this one. For one thing, the offering was by the Ford Foundation and not by the motor company.

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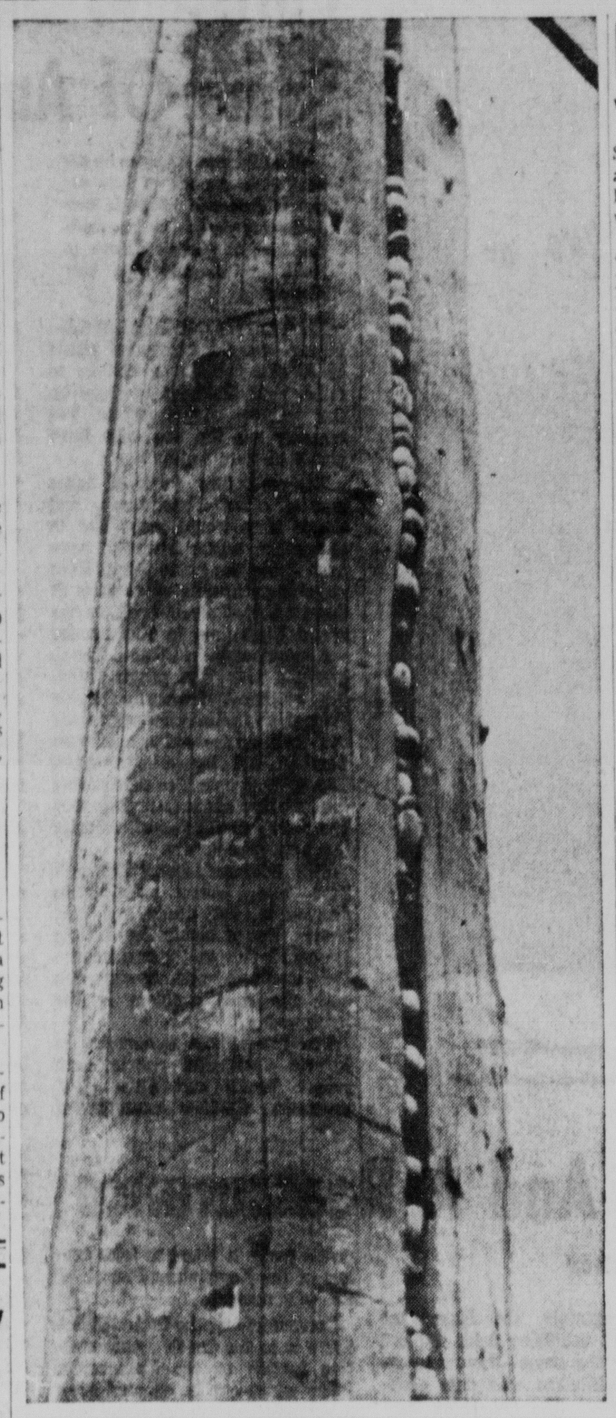

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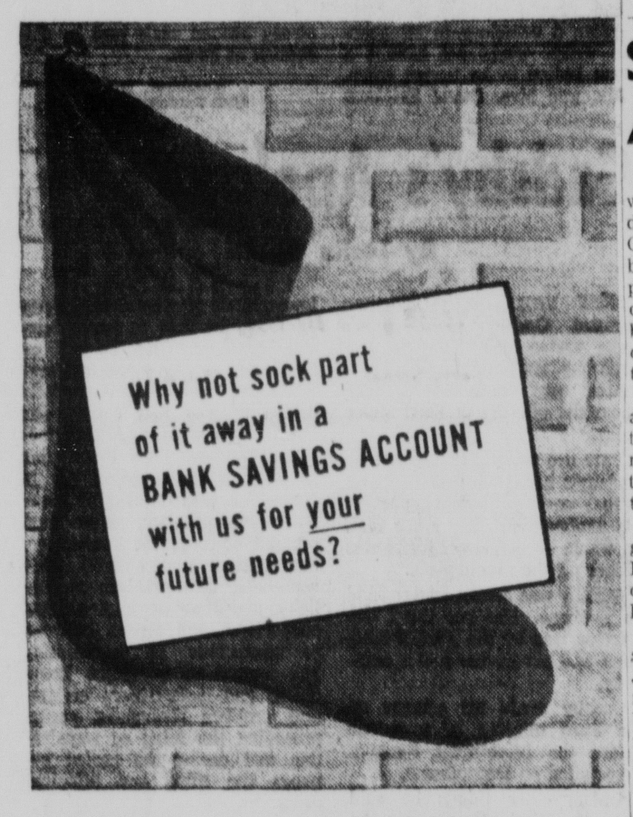

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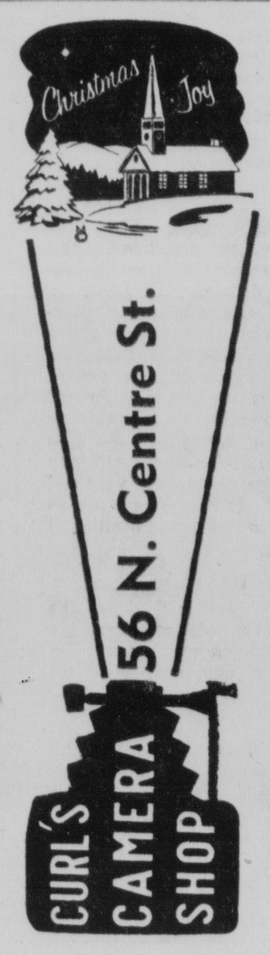

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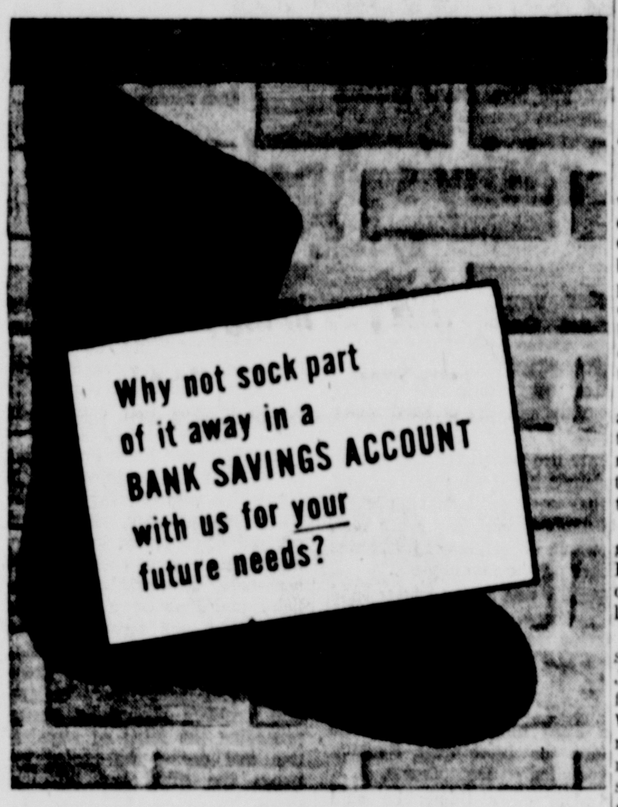

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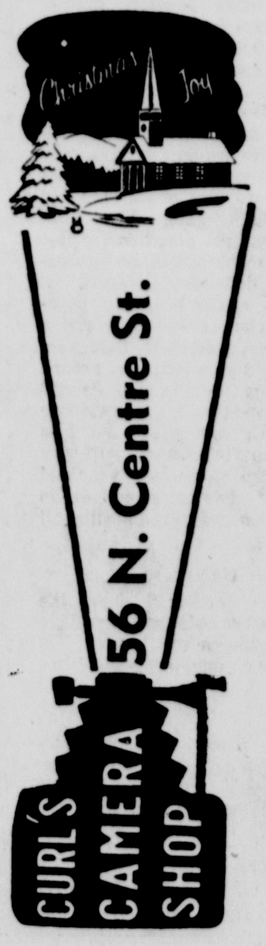

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The demand came after two sessions of decline, much of it representing profit-taking. Shorts did some covering before the four-day holiday.

Oils, a recently neglected group moved into the limelight with gains running past 4 points in Richfield, 2 or more in Gulf, Continental and Amerada.

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65 Stocks	196.78	199.56	196.45	199.24

Transactions in stocks used in averages Wednesday: industrials 269,800 railroads 185,400 utilities 39,600 total 494,800.

Net changes: 30 industrials up 6.34; 20 rails up 2.72; 15 utilities up 0.20 65 stocks up 2.15.

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Aluminium Limited	220	31¾	30⅝	31⅛
Aluminum Co.	29	93	91½	92¾
Amerada Pet.	23	101	98½	101
American Airlines	74	24	23⅛	24
American Bosch	23	34½	33¼	34½
American Br. Shoe	7	45	44	45
American Brd. Par.	23	19⅛	19½	19¾
American Can	56	49	48½	49
American Chain	1	48	48	48
American Cyan.	70	51⅝	49½	51⅜
American El. Power	27	55⅛	54½	55⅛
American For. Pwr	230	17⅜	16⅞	17¼
American Home	2	127	123½	127
American Mach.	23	53½	51¾	53½
American Metal	28	27¾	26⅞	27¾
AmericanMotors	320	39⅞	37⅞	39⅛
American Smelt.	122	48⅜	48⅛	48⅜
American Stand.	556	15¾	15⅛	15⅝
American Steel	39	45¼	44⅞	45
American Stores	3	98	97⅛	98
American Sugar	2	34	34	34
American T&T	188	222½	218¾	222½
American Tobacco	14	95¾	94⅜	95¾
American Viscose	30	37¼	36½	37¼
American Zic Lead	4	14½	14⅜	14½
Anaconda Copper	52	60½	58½	60⅜
Anaconda Wire	500	53¼	52¼	53
Anchor Hocking	2	78¾	78	78
Argo Oil	9	39¼	38⅞	39⅛
Armco Steel	73	65⅜	65⅛	65⅝
Armour Company	44	22⅝	21⅞	22⅜
Armstrong Cork	9	38	37½	38
Ashland Oil	14	18⅞	18¾	18⅜
Atchison, Topeka	44	27¼	26⅝	27¼
Atlantic Refining	44	45⅛	44½	44⅝
Atlas Corporation	75	7⅜	7⅜	7⅜
Avco Manufac.	73	12	11¾	11⅞
—B B—				
Babcock & Wilcox	13	31⅜	30½	31⅜
Baldwin Lima Ham.	42	14	13¾	13⅞
Baltimore & Ohio	64	44¾	43	44⅜
Baltimore & Ohio pfd	2	62⅜	62½	62½
Bath Iron Works	4	53⅜	53⅛	53¼
Beechnut Life Savers	6	41	41	41
Bell Air. Corp.	18	20⅝	20⅛	20½
Bendix Aviation	18	71	69¾	71
Bethlehem Steel	148	49¾	48⅞	49¼
Blaw-Knox Co.	10	36	35⅞	36
Bliss, E.W.	12	17⅜	17⅛	17¼
Boeing Aircraft	90	46¼	45	45⅞
Bond Stores Inc.	10	20⅞	20¾	20⅞
Borden Company	7	74¾	74⅛	74½
Borg Warner Corp	38	37⅞	37⅛	37⅞
Bridgeport Brass	10	34⅛	33½	34⅛
Briggs Manufac.	33	8⅝	8⅜	8⅝
Bristol Myers	8	73¾	73¼	73¼
Buckeye Pipeline Co.	1	28¾	28¾	28¾
Bucyrus-Erie Co.	166	29½	27⅞	29¼
Budd Company	38	19	18½	18⅞
Bullard Company	22	15⅝	15⅜	15½
Burlington Ind.	22	14	13¾	14
Burroughs Corp	58	40	39½	40
—C C—				
Calif. Packing Corp	4	49	48¾	49
Canadian Pacific	110	29⅝	29¼	29½
Capital Airlines	23	18⅛	17⅝	18
Carrier Corp	16	43⅞	42½	43⅞
Case J.I. Co.	73	20½	20	20½
Caterpillar Trac. Co.	25	87	85	87
Celanese Corp	85	29⅛	27¾	29
Celotex Corporation	9	37¼	37	37
Cerro de Pasco	16	46	45⅛	46
Certain-Teed	28	14⅛	13⅞	14
Cessna Aircraft	32	40	38¾	40
Chesapeake & Ohio	10	65¾	65⅝	65¾
Chrysler Corp	73	50⅞	50	50½
Cincinnati G&E	15	35⅛	34⅞	34⅞
CIT Financial Corp	54	58¼	57⅛	57⅜
Cities Service Co.	44	61⅞	60⅛	61⅞
Clevite Corporation	22	24⅞	24⅛	24⅞
Coca Cola Bottling	10	125	124	125
Colgate Palmolive	9	87¾	86⅝	87¾
Colorado F&I	26	24¼	23⅜	24
Columbia Brd. A	35	37½	37⅛	37⅜
Columbia Gas	45	22¼	21⅞	22
Columbus & So. O.E.	2	35⅞	35½	35⅞
Commercial Credit	14	61⅜	61½	61⅜
Commercial Solv.	14	14½	14¼	14½
Commonwealth Eds	30	55¼	54	55¼
Consolidated Eds	45	61¼	60¾	61¼
Consol. Nat. Gas	14	49¼	49	49
Consolidation Coal	5	38¼	38¼	38¼
Container Corp	54	27⅞	27½	27¾
Continental Baking	4	47	46¾	47
Continental Can	24	57¼	56¼	57¼
Continental Motors	16	11⅜	11⅛	11¼
Continental Oil	34	63¾	61½	63¾
Corn Products	5	55⅛	54¾	55
Cosden Petroleum	14	18¾	18½	18¾
Crane Company	13	35½	35¼	35½
Crown Zellerback	44	55½	54⅝	55½
Crucible Steel Co.	43	27¼	26¾	27
Cudahy Packing Co.	44	13¾	13¼	13⅜
Curtiss Wright Corp	64	27	26	27
—D D—				
Dayton Pow. & L.	4	53½	53	53½
Decca Records Inc.	44	18	17⅝	18
Deere & Company	39	48¼	47¾	48
Delaware & Hudson	44	28½	27¾	28½
Del. Lack. & West.	44	11⅞	10⅞	11⅝
Distillers Corp	4	33⅝	33⅛	33⅛
Douglas Aircraft	44	57¾	56⅜	57⅝
Dow Chemical	46	75¼	74⅛	75¼
Du Pont de Nemours	42	202	200	202
—E E—				
Eastern Airlines Inc.	27	34⅜	33	34⅝
Eastern Gas & Fuel	14	27⅝	27¼	27¼
Eastman Kodak Co	17	142¾	140¾	142⅝
Electric Auto-Light	14	36⅜	36⅛	36⅜
Elec. Stor. Bat.	4	38½	38¼	38½
El Paso Natural Gas	44	36¼	35¼	36¼
Emerson Radio	22	15⅝	15¼	15⅜
Endicott Johnson	3	33½	33½	33½
Erie Railroad	44	12¼	11⅞	12¼
Ex-Cello-O Corp	23	39⅞	39	39¾
—F F—				
Fairchild Engine	40	10⅝	10⅜	10½
Ferro Corp	6	28⅜	27¾	28⅜
Firestone Tire	5	131	129¾	131
First Am. Natl. Bk.	29	21½	21	21½
Flintkote Company	6	58	57	58
Food Fair Stores	24	37¼	36⅝	36¾
Ford Motor Co.	125	50¼	48⅞	50⅛
Freeport Sulphur Co.	9	100	99	100
Fruehauf Tractor Co.	112	19⅝	18¾	19⅛
—G G—				
General Acceptance	4	17⅝	17¼	17¼
General Dynamics	35	64⅞	64	64⅝
General Electric Co.	147	77⅜	76⅛	77½
General Food Corp	7	75¼	73¾	75¼
General Mills Inc.	3	87	86	87
General Mtrs Corp	364	48⅛	47¼	48⅛
General Public Util.	12	49⅝	49½	49½
General Telephone	80	60¾	58⅝	60⅝
Gillette Company	18	46⅜	45¼	46½
Glidden Company	10	43½	43⅛	43⅛
Goodrich B.F.	36	79½	78¼	79½
Goodyear Tire	55	118¼	115¼	118¼
Great North. Rwy.	19	50	49⅞	50
Great Western Sugar	6	28⅞	28½	28½
Greyhound Corp	42	18	17¾	18
Grumman Aircraft	31	23⅜	22⅝	23⅜
Gulf, Mobile & Ohio	20	25¾	24⅝	25⅝
Gulf Oil Corp	45	126	123½	125½
—H H—				
Halliburton Oil	50	61⅛	60¼	60⅝
Hammermill Paper	5	32	31⅝	32
Harbison Walker	2	46	45½	45½
Hercules Powder	9	57	56¼	57
Hilton Hotel Corp	15	32⅝	32	32⅝
Holland Furnace	1	12⅞	12⅝	12⅞
Homestake Mining	14	42½	42¼	42½
Hooker Chemical	50	37¼	36	37¼
Howe Sound Co.	46	13⅞	13⅜	13⅝
—I I—				
Ideal Cement Co.	1	93¼	93¼	93¼
Illinois Cen. RR	109	49½	48⅛	49½
Industrial Rayon	26	22⅝	22	22⅛
Ingersol Rand Co.	22	94½	93	94½
Inland Steel Co.	2	142	140½	142
Inspiration Copper	8	37⅛	35½	37⅛
Interlake Iron Corp	83	24⅜	23¾	23⅞
International Bus.	33	518	499¾	518
International Harv.	44	40⅝	39½	40⅜
Inter. Nickel	24	87¼	86¼	86⅞
Inter. Paper Co.	24	116	114⅝	116
Internat. T&T	68	64⅛	61	63¾
—J J—				
Johns Manville	28	49¼	48⅛	49⅛
Jones & Laughlin	39	58⅞	58	58⅝
Joy Mfg. Company	25	48½	47⅜	48½
—K K—				
Kaiser Aluminum	38	42⅜	41¼	42¼
Kennecott Copper	17	97	96	97
Kern County Land	16	62	59¾	62
Kerr McGee Oil	18	53¾	51¾	53⅝
Kimberly Clark	17	64	61⅞	63
Koppers Company	12	42½	41⅞	42½
Kresge S. S. Co.	1	31⅝	31⅝	31⅝
Kress S. H. & Co.	12	39½	39¼	39½
Kroger Company	5	93½	93	93½
—L L—				
Lee Rubber & Tire	2	24⅜	24⅛	24⅜
Lehigh Coal & Nav.	12	10⅝	10⅜	10⅝
Lehigh Port. Cem.	19	34⅞	34	34⅞
Lehigh Valley Ind.	3	1⅜	1½	1⅜
Lehigh Valley RR	149	9⅜	8⅞	9⅜
Lehman Corporation	12	30⅜	30	30⅛
Libby Owens Ford	15	95¼	94¼	95¼
Libby McNeil	38	11⅞	11½	11⅝
Ligett & Myers	12	80⅜	79¾	80⅜
Link Belt Co.	8	58¾	58½	58¾
Lockheed Aircraft	34	64½	62	64¼
Loews Inc.	113	21⅜	20¼	21⅜
Lone Star Gas Co.	15	42½	41⅝	42
Lorillard Tobacco	89	89¼	78¾	80¼
Louisville & Nash.	14	77½	76¾	77⅜
Lukens Steel Co.	13	71½	69¼	71¼
—M M—				
Mack Trucks Inc.	17	33⅛	31⅝	33⅛
Magma Corp	14	59⅞	57½	59⅞
Martin Company	34	32½	31	32¼
May Stores	24	48⅝	47⅜	48¼
McGraw Edison Co.	4	38½	38	38½
McKesson & Robbins	9	66	65	65½
Melville Shoe Corp	14	23⅞	23⅜	23⅞
Merck & Company	50	77¼	75	77¾
Miami Corp	5	33⅞	33¼	33⅞
Midland Ross	3	39¾	39½	39½
Minneapolis Honey.	24	118¼	114½	118¼
Minneapolis Moline	15	19	18¾	19
Minnesota Mng.	44	110½	107	110½
Mo. Kan. Tex. Pfd	19	64½	63	64
Missouri Pacific	44	43	41¾	43
Monsanto Chemical	95	39⅞	38⅜	39⅝
Monterey Oil Co.	15	36	35⅜	36
Montgomery Ward	23	40½	40⅛	40⅜
Motorola Inc.	19	57¼	57¼	57¼
Muraphy G. C. Co.	4	43	42⅝	42⅝
Murray Corp	14	31⅛	30⅝	31⅛
—N N—				
National Auto Fib.	4	16	15⅝	16
National Biscuit Co	4	50⅛	49⅞	50
National Cash Reg.	60	80½	78	80½
National Dairy	14	48	46¾	48
National Distillers	45	29¾	29¼	29⅝
National Fuel Gas	4	23¾	23⅛	23½
National Gypsum	14	58⅝	58¼	58½
National Lead Co.	15	112	111½	112
National Steel	9	75¼	74¾	75¼
National Theaters	9	10⅝	10¼	10⅝
Newport News Ship	14	45½	44⅝	45½
New York Central	180	28⅛	26¾	28⅛
N.Y. Chi. & St. L.	24	32	30⅞	31⅜
Niagara Mohawk	14	37¾	37½	37¾
Norfolk & Western	106	87	86½	86¾
North Am. Aviation	90	43⅝	41½	43⅝
Northern Pacific	24	48⅞	48⅛	48⅜
Northwest Airlines	64	27⅜	26⅞	27⅝
—O O—				
Ohio Edison Co.	5	58¾	58½	58¾
Ohio Oil Co.	19	40¾	39¼	40¾
Olin Mathieson	274	43¾	41⅝	43⅜
Oliver Corp	54	14½	14¼	14½
Otis Elevator Co.	6	70½	69½	70
Owens Corning	10	62⅝	62½	62½
Owens Illinois	6	88½	87½	88
—P P—				
Pacific G AS & Elec.	33	61	59¾	61
Pacific Lighting	6	53	52⅞	53¼
Pan. Am. World Air.	113	23⅛	22⅛	23⅛
Paramount Pic.	8	46	45⅝	46
Parke Davis & Co.	138	39⅛	37⅝	39
Peabody Coal Co.	24	13⅞	13½	13⅞
Penney J. C. Co.	9	109¼	106¼	106¼
Penna Power & Light	2	56½	56½	56½
Penna Railroad	326	19¼	18	19¼
Pepsi Cola Co.	24	26½	26⅛	26⅛
Phelps Dodge Corp	63	59¾	59	59½
Philadelphia Elec.	4	48	47½	48
Philco Corp	34	24⅜	24	24¼
Phillip Morris Inc.	25	61	60⅜	61
Phillips Petroleum	74	48	46¼	47¾
Piper Aircraft	18	21¾	21	21
Pitts. Plate Glass	32	74	73	74
Poor & Co. B	6	24	23½	24
Proctor & Gamble	5	73¾	73⅝	73⅝
Public Svc. Elec	37	38¼	37⅝	38⅛
Pullman Inc.	7	58	57½	58
Pure Oil Co.	29	42¼	41⅜	42¼
—R R—				
Radio Corp of Am.	65	45⅛	43½	45⅛
Raytheon Mfg. Co.	65	66	61¾	65¾
Reading Co.	33	23½	22⅞	23⅜
Republic Aviation	44	26¼	26	26⅛
Republic Steel	52	74⅜	72½	74¼
Rexall Drugs	24	31¼	30⅝	31
Reynolds Metals	42	76	73¾	75¾
Reynolds Tobacco B	24	86¾	86	86
Richfield Oil Corp	24	100⅝	97	100⅜
Robertshaw Fulton	24	33⅜	32⅞	33¼
Rockwell Standard	23	29	28¼	29
Rohr Aircraft Corp	14	23½	23¼	23½
Royal Dutch Pet	148	47⅞	46½	47¾
—S S—				
Safeway Stores	63	41½	40⅝	41¼
St. Joseph Lead Co.	13	31⅜	30¾	31⅛
St. L. San Fran. RR	28	20½	19⅞	20⅜
St. Regis Paper Co.	25	46	44½	46
Savage Arms	7	15	14⅝	14⅞
Schenley Industries	70	44⅜	42⅝	44⅛
Schering Corp Co.	29	56⅞	54⅝	56¾
Scott Paper Co.	2	72½	72	72½
Sears Roebuck	98	39⅜	39⅛	39⅝
Servel Inc.	69	10⅜	10⅛	10¼
Sharon Steel Corp	4	37¾	36¼	37⅛
Shell Oil Co.	6	83½	81¾	83½
Shell Transport	114	21¼	20½	21¼
Sheller Mfg. Corp	3	17¼	17	17
Sinclair Oil Corp	70	66⅜	64⅞	65⅞
Socony Mobile Oil Co.	173	47⅝	46⅝	47⅝
Sou. Calif. Edison	35	59⅜	59¼	59¼
Southern Co.	9	37¼	37	37¼
Southern Nat. Gas	14	42⅜	42	42
Southern Pacific Co.	138	63⅞	62¼	63⅜
Sperry Rand Corp	118	24⅛	23½	24
Standard Brands Inc.	13	66⅞	66⅜	66⅜
Standard Oil Calif.	65	58⅜	57⅝	58⅜
Standard Oil Ind.	92	47¼	45⅞	47¼
Standard Oil N.J.	401	56⅜	54⅞	56⅜
Standard Oil Ohio	4	57½	56	57¼
Stanley Warner	5	17⅜	17	17⅜
Sterling Drugs	22	49	47⅞	49
Stewart Warner	1	42	42	42
Stone & Webster	18	55⅜	55¼	55½
Studebaker Packard	98	14⅞	14⅜	14⅜
Sunray Midcont. Oil	35	27¼	26½	27⅛
Swift & Company	23	34½	33½	34½
Sylvania Electric	30	58⅞	57	58⅞
—T T—				
Tennessee Gas Trans	37	35⅛	34⅞	35⅛
Texas Co.	53	84⅞	83¾	84⅞
Texas Gulf Prod	10	31¼	30	31
Texas Gulf Sulphur	79	21⅝	21⅜	21⅝
Texas Pacific Land	26	16⅛	16	16⅛
Thompson Prods	39	69½	66½	69½
Tidwater Oil Co.	34	23⅜	22¾	23⅛
Timken Roller Brg	8	45⅛	43¾	44¾
Tri Continental Corp	16	40½	39½	40½
Transamerica Corp	79	30	29⅛	30
TXL Oil	76	22⅜	21	22⅜
Trans World Airl.	7	15¾	15⅜	15¾
20th Century Fox	18	37⅜	35¾	37¼
—U U—				
Union Oil of Calif	51	45⅝	44⅛	45⅜
Underwood Corp	26	21¾	20⅞	21⅜
Union Carbide Corp	26	124½	122½	124½
Union Pacific RR	98	36	35⅜	35⅞
United Aircraft	26	59¾	58⅛	59¾
United Airlines	16	29½	28⅜	29¼
United Corporation	56	8½	8¼	8½
United Engineering	4	16¼	16⅛	16¼
United Fruit Co.	156	39⅝	38⅞	39½
U. S. Pipe & Foundry	21	26¼	25⅝	26⅛
U. S. Rubber	9	45¾	45¼	45¾
U. S. Smelting	13	34¼	33⅜	34⅛
U. S. Steel	161	91¼	88½	90⅜
—V VV—				
Vanadium Corp	11	36¾	35½	36¾
Vick Chemical Co.	3	86	85½	86
Virginia Elec & Pow.	18	39⅞	39½	39¾
Vulcan Materials	38	16¼	15⅞	16¼
—W W—				
Walworth Co.	25	14⅛	13⅞	14⅛
Ward Baking Co.	9	14⅝	14½	14½
Warner Bros. Pic.	3	24	23⅞	23⅞
Warner Lambert	29	89⅞	88¾	89⅞
West Penn Elec.	5	35½	35½	35½
W. Va. Pulp	11	51	50¼	51
Western Union	66	32⅝	31⅛	32½
Westinghouse Airbr.	207	33	31	33
Westinghouse Elec	116	72½	69⅝	72¼
Wheeling Steel Corp	9	51⅞	51⅛	51¾
White Motors Co.	4	68	68	68
Wilson & Co.	36	30¾	30	30⅝
Woolworth F. W.	34	53⅛	52½	53
—Y Y—				
Yale & Towne Mfg.	19	32⅜	32	32¼
Young. S& T	31	117	114½	117
—Z Z—				
Zenith Radio	51	191	177	188½

DOUBLE SEA LIFE

ZANESVILLE, Ohio (AP)—Pat Gallina, 17, became a seaman recruit and a skipper on the same day. Immediately after he was sworn into the Navy Reserve here, the Zanesville youth was promoted to assistant skipper of his Sea Scout ship.

THE LITTLE WOMAN

"Thanks, Harold, but we don't need a cart—I'm only getting a few things."

Chicago Grains

CHICAGO (UPI)—Grains hung up weak to moderately firm prices on Christmas Eve on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Wheat closed up ⅛ to off ⅝ cent; corn (old) unchanged to off ⅛ cent; (new) unchanged to off ⅜ cent; oats unchanged to up ¼ cent; rye unchanged to up ½ cent; soybeans off ¾ to 1¼ cents.

Year-end liquidation composed most of the day's selling activity.

Commission houses did some buying in wheat. Most purchases, however, were on a scale down and prices declined.

Corn showed fairly steady in its March contract, but weaker in deferred deliveries. Exporters bought new March. Locals and industrial brokers sold heavily.

Resting orders in the oats market gave some strength. Trade, however, was quiet.

Soybeans were weak. Commission houses sold and uncovered much stop loss orders.

Grains at outside markets were easy. The range:

	High	Low	Close
WHEAT:			
March	194⅞	193⅞	194¾
May	191	190	191
July	181¼	180½	181⅛
September	183½	182⅝	183⅝
CORN:			
March	113½	113⅛	113⅜
March (new)	113½	113¼	113⅜
May (new)	115	114⅝	114⅞
July (new)	116⅝	116¼	116½
September (new)	116⅛	115¾	116⅛
OATS:			
March	65	64½	64⅞
May	62⅞	62⅝	62¾
July	60⅜	60	60⅜
September	61	61	61
RYE:			
March	130¾	129⅝	130¾
May	125¾	125	125⅝
July	119¾	118¾	119½
September	120½	120¼	120½
SOYBEANS:			
January	216⅜	215½	216
March	219	217¾	218⅛
May	220½	219½	220
July	220¼	218⅝	219½
September	211¼	209⅝	210½

Wife Preservers

Tack a covering of muslin or other material over the back of a radio or television set to keep out dust and consequent repairs.

West Virginians Awarded Prizes For Conservation

CHARLESTON, W. Va. (UPI)—The State Agriculture Department said Tuesday it had been notified by the Goodyear Soil Conservation program that two West Virginians had been given awards for their 1958 soil conservation work.

A spokesman said the winners were F. D. Austin, of Given, Jackson County, supervisor of the Western Soil Conservation district and Odis Randolph of Letart, Mason County, who was West Virginia's outstanding soil conservation cooperator.

The prizes for each man is a vacation trip.

Worker Detained

TEL AVIV, Israel (UPI)—Israeli police have detained a junior research worker at the Weizmann Institute on suspicion of spying for a "foreign power," it was disclosed Wednesday. Neither the suspect nor the foreign power was named. Important scientific work in cooperation with the United States and other Western powers is carried out at the institute.

Friend's Stockyard

Market report for December 22:

Horses, 6.60 cwt.; steers (slaughter), medium to good 23.00 to 24.90 cwt.; heifers, medium to good 22.60 to 24.00 cwt.; bulls, 21.90 to 23.80 cwt.; cows, good to choice 18.50 to 20.90 cwt.; medium to good 15.50 to 18.20 cwt.; common to medium 12.70 to 15.10 cwt.; veals, good to choice 32.25 to 36.50 cwt.; medium to good 24.60 to 31.75 cwt.; common to medium 16.75 to 24.50 cwt.; cull veal 16.00 cwt. down.

Lambs (ungraded), 19.25 cwt.; pigs, 14.50 head; hogs, 18.50 to 21.00 cwt.; male hogs, 14.40 cwt.; sows, 10.25 to 17.20 cwt.

Leghorn hens, 7c lb. to 11c lb.; heavy hens 15c lb. to 20½c lb.; turkeys 25c lb. to 32c lb.

BOYCOTT PARLIAMENT

JERUSALEM, Israel (UPI) —

Christmas Buying Surge Pushes Market Upward

NEW YORK (UPI) — A last-minute surge of Christmas buying lifted stock values more than three billion dollars on increased volume on the New York Stock Exchange Wednesday.

Virtually all groups scored good gains, with oil shares, the steels, chemicals, electronics and rails especially in demand.

The industrial average was boosted more than 6 points on the day as American Telephone and Goodyear rose around 3 points and Du Pont, U. S. Steel, Westinghouse Electric around 2 points.

Rails moved up along with industrials, apparently confirming their rise. Gains in the group ran to 2 points in Baltimore & Ohio, a point or more in Delaware & Hudson, Illinois Central, New York Central, Pennsylvania, Southern Pacific.

Volume increased to 3,050,000 shares from 2,870,000 Tuesday.

The demand came after two sessions of decline, much of it representing profit-taking. Shorts did some covering before the four-day holiday.

Oils, a recently neglected group moved into the limelight with gains running past 4 points in Richfield, 2 or more in Gulf, Continental and Amerada.

Steels showed improvement around 2 points in U. S. Steel, Republic and Allegheny-Ludlum; 3 points in Youngstown Sheet & Tube.

American Motors rose nearly 2 and was the day's third most active issue, topped only by American Standard, up ½ to 15⅝ and Pennsylvania Railroad, up 1¼ to 19¼.

NEW YORK (UPI)—Dow-Jones closing range of averages:

Stocks	Open	High	Low	Close
30 Inds	565.12	573.64	564.27	572.73
20 Rails	154.68	157.04	154.45	157.00
15 Utils	88.64	89.49	88.42	89.22
65 Stocks	196.78	199.56	196.45	199.24

Transactions in stocks used in averages Wednesday: industrials 269,800 railroads 185,400 utilities 39,600 total 494,800.

Net changes: 30 industrials up 6.34; 20 rails up 2.72; 15 utilities up 0.20 65 stocks up 2.15.

Bonds	Close	Net Change
40 Bonds	86.32	off 0.19
10 1st Rails	86.15	off 0.08
10 2nd Rails	82.76	off 0.47
10 Utils	86.17	off 0.08
10 Inds	90.21	off 0.10

Dow-Jones commodity futures index (1924-26 average equals 100) closed at 148.17.

N.Y. Eggs And Butter

NEW YORK (AP) — (USDA) — Wholesale egg offerings light. Demand active. Receipts 21,400.

Nearby Whites: Top quality (48-50 lbs) 47-51; mediums 36½-38½; smalls 30½-31½.

Butter offerings relatively light. Demand fair.

Receipts 863,000.

Wholesale prices on bulk cartons (fresh).

Creamery, 93 score (AA) 62½-62¾ cents; 92 score (A) 61¾-62¼; 90 score (B) 61¾-62.

Moorefield Women Meet January 5

MOOREFIELD, W. Va. — The Woman's Club of Moorefield will hold its first meeting of 1959 in the Hardy County Public Library building January 5, at 8 p.m. Dr. David Nuzum, of Potomac State College, will present a book review.

Hostesses for the evening are Mrs. W. J. Teets, Mrs. Ashby Scea, Mrs. Howard Belt, Mrs. K. G. Vance, Mrs. Glenn Evans, Miss Elizabeth Wilson and Mrs. LaMar Sager.

Harry FOOTER & Co.

— CLEANERS —

New York Stock Quotations

NEW YORK (UPI)—Stock prices: (in hundreds)

	Sales	High	Low	Close
—A—				
ACF Industries Inc.	23	48⅝	47⅞	48¼
Adams Express Co.	13	28⅝	27¾	28⅛
Admiral Corporation	34	19⅛	18⅞	19
Air Reduction	4	78½	78⅛	78⅝
Alco Products Inc.	14	19⅝	19⅛	19¼
Allegheny Corp	113	9⅞	9¾	9⅞
Allegheny Ludlum	24	46	44⅞	46
Allied Chemical	38	93⅞	92¾	93¼
Allied Mills Inc.	1	39⅝	39⅝	39⅝
Allied Stores	6	53¾	53¼	53⅜
Allis Chalmers	54	28⅝	28	28⅜
Alpha Portland	3	38¼	37⅞	37⅝
Aluminium Limited	220	31⅝	30⅝	31½
Aluminum Co.	29	93	91½	92¾
Amerada Pet.	23	101	98½	101
American Airlines	74	24	23⅛	24
American Bosch	23	34½	33¼	34½
American Br. Shoe	7	45	44	45
American Brd. Par.	23	19⅝	19½	19¾
American Can	56	49	48½	49
American Chain	1	48	48	48
American Cyan.	70	51⅝	49½	51⅜
American El Power	27	55⅛	54½	55⅛
American For. Pwr	230	17⅜	16⅞	17¼
American Home	2	127	123½	127
American Mach.	23	53½	51¾	53½
American Metal	28	27¾	26⅞	27¾
AmericanMotors	320	39⅞	37⅞	39⅛
American Smelt.	122	48⅜	48⅛	48⅝
American Stand.	556	15⅜	15⅛	15⅝
American Steel	39	45¼	44⅞	45
American Stores	3	98	97⅛	98
American Sugar	2	34	34	34
American T&T	188	222½	218¾	222½
American Tobacco	14	95⅝	94⅜	95⅝
American Viscose	30	37¼	36½	37¼
American Zic Lead	4	14½	14⅜	14½
Anaconda Copper	52	60½	58½	60⅜
Anaconda Wire	500	53¼	52¼	53
Anchor Hocking	2	78¾	78	78
Argo Oil	9	39¼	38⅞	39⅛
Armco Steel	73	65¾	65⅛	65⅝
Armour Company	44	22⅝	21⅞	22⅛
Armstrong Cork	9	38	37½	38
Ashland Oil	14	18⅞	18⅝	18⅝
Atchison, Topeka	44	27¼	26⅝	27¼
Atlantic Refining	44	45⅛	44½	44⅝
Atlas Corporation	75	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞
Avco Manufac.	73	12	11⅝	11⅞
—B B—				
Babcock & Wilcox	13	31⅛	30½	31⅜
Baldwin Lima Ham.	42	14	13¾	13⅞
Baltimore & Ohio	64	44⅝	43	44⅛
Baltimore & Ohio pfd	2	62⅝	62½	62½
Bath Iron Works	4	53⅜	53⅛	53¼
Beechnut Life Savers	6	41	41	41
Bell Air. Corp.	18	20⅝	20⅛	20½
Bendix Aviation	18	71	69¾	71
Bethlehem Steel	148	49¾	48⅞	49¼
Blaw-Knox Co.	10	36	35⅝	36
Bliss, E.W.	12	17⅝	17⅛	17¼
Boeing Aircraft	90	46¼	45	45⅞
Bond Stores Inc.	10	20⅞	20¾	20⅞
Borden Company	7	74¾	74⅛	74½
Borg Warner Corp	38	37⅞	37⅛	37⅞
Bridgeport Brass	10	34⅛	33½	34⅛
Briggs Manufac.	33	8⅝	8⅜	8⅝
Bristol Myers	8	73¾	73¼	73¼
Buckeye Pipeline Co.	1	28⅝	28⅝	28⅝
Bucyrus-Erie Co.	166	29½	27⅝	29¼
Budd Company	38	19	18½	18⅞
Bullard Company	22	15⅝	15⅜	15½
Burlington Ind.	22	14	13¾	14
Burroughs Corp	58	40	39⅛	40
—C C—				
Calif. Packing Corp	4	49	48¾	49
Canadian Pacific	110	29⅝	29¼	29½
Capital Airlines	23	18⅛	17⅝	18
Carrier Corp	16	43⅞	42½	43⅞
Case J.I. Co.	73	20½	20	20½
Caterpillar Trac. Co.	25	87	85	87
Celanese Corp	85	29⅛	27⅝	29
Celotex Corporation	9	37⅛	37	37
Cerro de Pasco	16	46	45⅛	46
Certain-Teed	28	14⅛	13⅞	14
Cessna Aircraft	32	40	38¾	40
Chesapeake & Ohio	10	65¾	65⅝	65¾
Chrysler Corp	73	50⅞	50	50½
Cincinnati G&E	15	35⅛	34⅞	34⅞
CIT Financial Corp	54	58¼	57⅛	57⅜
Cities Service Co.	44	61⅞	60⅛	61⅞
Clevite Corporation	22	24⅞	24⅛	24⅞
Coca Cola Bottling	10	125	124	125
Colgate Palmolive	9	87¾	86⅝	87¾
Colorado F&I	26	24¼	23⅝	24
Columbia Brd. A	35	37½	37⅛	37⅜
Columbia Gas	45	22¼	21⅞	22
Columbus & So. O.E.	2	35⅞	35½	35⅞
Commercial Credit	14	61⅜	61½	61⅝
Commercial Solv.	14	14½	14¼	14½
Commonwealth Eds	30	55¼	54	55¼
Consolidated Eds	45	61¼	60⅜	61¼
Consol. Nat. Gas	14	49¼	49	49
Consolidation Coal	5	38¼	38¼	38¼
Container Corp	54	27⅞	27½	27¾
Continental Baking	4	47	46¾	47
Continental Can	24	57¼	56¼	57¼
Continental Motors	16	11⅝	11½	11¼
Continental Oil	34	63¾	61½	63¾
Corn Products	5	55⅛	54⅝	55
Cosden Petroleum	14	18¾	18½	18⅝
Crane Company	13	35½	35¼	35½
Crown Zellerback	44	55½	54⅝	55½
Crucible Steel Co.	43	27¼	26⅝	27
Cudahy Packing Co.	44	13¾	13¼	13⅜
Curtiss Wright Corp	64	27	26	27
—D D—				
Dayton Pow. & L.	4	53½	53	53½
Decca Records Inc.	44	18	17⅝	18
Deere & Company	39	48¼	47¾	48
Delaware & Hudson	44	28½	27¾	28½
Del. Lack. & West.	44	11⅞	10⅞	11⅜
Distillers Corp	4	33⅝	33⅛	33⅛
Douglas Aircraft	44	57¾	56⅜	57⅝
Dow Chemical	46	75¼	74⅛	75¼
Du Pont de Nemours	42	202	200	202
—E E—				
Eastern Airlines Inc.	27	34⅝	33	34⅝
Eastern Gas & Fuel	14	27⅝	27¼	27¼
Eastman Kodak Co	17	142¾	140¾	142⅝
Electric Auto-Light	14	36⅜	36⅛	36⅜
Elec. Stor. Bat.	4	38½	38¼	38½
El Paso Natural Gas	44	36¼	35¼	36¼
Emerson Radio	22	15⅝	15¼	15⅜
Endicott Johnson	3	33½	33½	33½
Erie Railroad	44	12¼	11⅞	12¼
Ex-Cello-O Corp	23	39⅞	39	39⅝
—F F—				
Fairchild Engine	40	10⅝	10⅜	10½
Ferro Corp	6	28⅜	27⅝	28⅜
Firestone Tire	5	131	129¾	131
First Am. Natl. Bk.	29	21½	21	21½
Flintkote Company	6	58	57	58
Food Fair Stores	24	37¼	36⅝	36¾
Ford Motor Co.	125	50¼	48⅞	50⅛
Freeport Sulphur Co.	9	100	99	100
Fruehauf Tractor Co.	112	19⅝	18⅝	19⅛
—G G—				
General Acceptance	4	17⅝	17¼	17¼
General Dynamics	35	64⅞	64	64⅝
General Electric Co.	147	77⅜	76⅛	77½
General Food Corp	7	75¼	73¾	75¼
General Mills Inc.	3	87	86	87
General Mtrs Corp	364	48⅜	47¼	48⅜
General Public Util.	12	49⅜	49½	49½
General Telephone	80	60⅜	58⅞	60⅝
Gillette Company	18	46⅜	45¼	46½
Glidden Company	10	43½	43⅛	43⅛
Goodrich B.F.	36	79½	78¼	79½
Goodyear Tire	55	118¼	115¼	118¼
Great North. Rwy.	19	50	49⅞	50
Great Western Sugar	6	28⅞	28½	28½
Greyhound Corp	42	18	17¾	18
Grumman Aircraft	31	23⅜	22⅝	23⅜
Gulf, Mobile & Ohio	20	25¾	24¾	25¾
Gulf Oil Corp	45	126	123½	125½
—H H—				
Halliburton Oil	50	61⅛	60¼	60¾
Hammermill Paper	3	32	31⅝	32
Harbison Walker	2	46	45½	45½
Hercules Powder	9	57	56¼	57
Hilton Hotel Corp	15	32¾	32	32¾
Holland Furnace	1	12⅛	12⅛	12⅛
Homestake Mining	14	42½	42¼	42½
Hooker Chemical	50	37¼	36	37¼
Howe Sound Co.	46	13⅞	13⅜	13¾
—I I—				
Ideal Cement Co.	1	93¼	93¼	93¼
Illinois Cen. RR	109	49½	48⅛	49½
Industrial Rayon	26	22⅜	22	22⅛
Ingersol Rand Co.	22	94½	93	94½
Inland Steel Co.	2	142	140½	142
Inspiration Copper	8	37¼	35½	37⅛
Interlake Iron Corp	83	24⅜	23¾	23⅞
International Bus.	33	518	499¾	518
International Harv.	44	40⅝	39½	40⅜
Inter. Nickel	24	87¼	86¼	86⅝
Inter. Paper Co.	24	116	114⅝	116
Internat. T&T	68	64½	61	63¾
—J J—				
Johns Manville	28	49¼	48⅛	49⅛
Jones & Laughlin	39	58⅞	58	58⅝
Joy Mfg. Company	25	48½	47⅝	48⅛
—K K—				
Kaiser Aluminum	38	42⅜	41¼	42¼
Kennecott Copper	17	97	96	97
Kern County Land	16	62	59⅝	62
Kerr McGee Oil	18	53¾	51¾	53⅝
Kimberly Clark	17	64	61⅞	63
Koppers Company	12	42½	41⅞	42½
Kresge S. S. Co.	1	31⅝	31⅝	31⅝
Kress S. H. & Co.	12	39½	39¼	39½
Kroger Company	5	93½	93	93½
—L L—				
Lee Rubber & Tire	2	24⅜	24⅛	24⅜
Lehigh Coal & Nav.	12	10⅝	10⅜	10⅝
Lehigh Port. Cem.	19	34⅞	34	34⅝
Lehigh Valley Ind.	3	1⅝	1½	1⅝
Lehigh Valley RR	149	9⅜	8⅞	9⅜
Lehman Corporation	12	30⅝	30	30⅛
Libby Owens Ford	15	95¼	94¼	95¼
Libby McNeil	38	11⅞	11½	11⅝
Ligett & Myers	12	80⅝	79⅝	80⅜
Link Belt Co.	8	58⅝	58½	58⅜
Lockheed Aircraft	34	64½	62	64⅛
Loews Inc.	113	21⅜	20¼	21⅜
Lone Star Gas Co.	15	42½	41⅝	42
Lorillard Tobacco	89	89¼	78¾	80¼
Louisville & Nash.	14	77½	76¾	77⅜
Lukens Steel Co.	13	71½	69¼	71¼
—M M—				
Mack Trucks Inc.	17	33⅛	31⅝	33⅛
Magma Corp	14	59⅞	57½	59⅞
Martin Company	34	32½	31	32¼
May Stores	24	48⅝	47⅝	48¼
McGraw Edison Co.	4	38½	38	38½
McKesson & Robbins	9	66	65	65½
Melville Shoe Corp	14	23⅞	23¾	23⅞
Merck & Company	50	77¼	75	77¼
Miami Corp	5	33⅞	33¼	33⅞
Midland Ross	3	39¾	39½	39½
Minneapolis Honey.	24	118¼	114½	118¼
Minneapolis Moline	15	19	18¾	19
Minnesota Mng.	44	110½	107	110½
Mo. Kan. Tex. Pfd	19	64½	63	64
Missouri Pacific	44	43	41¾	43
Monsanto Chemical	95	39⅝	38⅝	39⅜
Monterey Oil Co.	15	36	35⅝	36
Montgomery Ward	23	40½	40⅛	40⅜
Motorola Inc.	19	57¼	57¼	57¼
Muraphy G. C. Co.	4	43	42⅝	42⅝
Murray Corp	14	31⅛	30⅝	31⅛
—N N—				
National Auto Fib.	4	16	15⅝	16
National Biscuit Co	4	50⅛	49⅞	50
National Cash Reg.	60	80½	78	80½
National Dairy	14	48	46¾	48
National Distillers	45	29⅜	29¼	29⅜
Natonal Fuel Gas	4	23¾	23⅛	23½
National Gypsum	14	58⅝	58¼	58½
National Lead Co.	15	112	111½	112
National Steel	9	75¼	74⅞	75¼
National Theaters	9	10⅝	10¼	10⅝
Newport News Ship	14	45½	44⅝	45½
New York Central	180	28⅛	26¾	28⅛
N.Y. Chi. & St. L.	24	32	30⅞	31⅞
Niagara Mohawk	14	37⅝	37½	37⅝
Norfolk & Western	106	87	86½	86¾
North Am. Aviation	90	43⅝	41½	43⅝
Northern Pacific	24	48⅛	48⅛	48⅜
Northwest Airlines	64	27⅜	26½	27⅜
—O O—				
Ohio Edison Co.	5	58¾	58½	58¾
Ohio Oil Co.	19	40¾	39¾	40¾
Olin Mathieson	274	43¾	41⅝	43⅝
Oliver Corp	54	14½	14¼	14½
Otis Elevator Co.	6	70½	69½	70
Owens Corning	10	62⅝	62½	62½
Owens Illinois	6	88½	87½	88
—P P—				
Pacific G AS & Elec.	33	61	59¾	61
Pacific Lighting	6	53	52⅞	53¼
Pan. Am. World Air.	113	23⅛	22⅛	23⅛
Paramount Pic.	8	46	45⅝	46
Parke Davis & Co.	138	39⅛	37⅝	39
Peabody Coal Co.	24	13⅞	13½	13⅞
Penney J. C. Co.	9	109¼	106¼	106¼
Penna Power & Light	2	56½	56½	56½
Penna Railroad	326	19¼	18	19¼
Pepsi Cola Co.	24	26½	26⅛	26⅛
Phelps Dodge Corp	63	59¾	59	59½
Philadelphia Elec.	4	48	47½	48
Philco Corp	34	24⅝	24	24¼
Phillip Morris Inc.	25	61	60⅝	61
Phillips Petroleum	74	48	46¼	47¾
Piper Aircraft	18	21¾	21	21
Pitts. Plate Glass	32	74	73	74
Poor & Co. B	6	24	23½	24
Proctor & Gamble	5	73¾	73⅝	73⅝
Public Svc. Elec	37	38¼	37⅝	38⅛
Pullman Inc.	7	58	57¼	58
Pure Oil Co.	29	42¼	41⅝	42¼
—R R—				
Radio Corp of Am.	65	45⅛	43½	45⅛
Raytheon Mfg. Co.	65	66	61⅜	65⅜
Reading Co.	33	23½	22⅞	23⅛
Republic Aviation	44	26¼	26	26⅛
Republic Steel	52	74⅜	72½	74¼
Rexall Drugs	24	31¼	30⅞	31
Reynolds Metals	42	76	73¾	75⅜
Reynolds Tobacco B	24	86¾	86	86
Richfield Oil Corp	24	100⅝	97	100⅝
Robertshaw Fulton	24	33⅜	32⅛	33¼
Rockwell Standard	23	29	28¼	29
Rohr Aircraft Corp	14	23½	23¼	23½
Royal Dutch Pet	148	47⅞	46½	47¾
—S S—				
Safeway Stores	63	41½	40⅝	41¼
St. Joseph Lead Co.	13	31⅜	30¾	31⅛
St. L. San Fran. RR	28	20½	19⅞	20⅜
St. Regis Paper Co.	25	46	44½	46
Savage Arms	7	15	14⅛	14⅞
Schenley Industries	70	44⅜	42⅝	44⅛
Schering Corp Co.	29	56⅞	54⅜	56¾
Scott Paper Co.	2	72½	72	72½
Sears Roebuck	98	39⅝	39⅛	39⅝
Servel Inc.	69	10⅜	10⅛	10¼
Sharon Steel Corp	4	37⅜	36¾	37⅛
Shell Oil Co.	6	83½	81¾	83½
Shell Transport	114	21¼	20½	21¼
Sheller Mfg. Corp	3	17¼	17	17
Sinclair Oil Corp	70	66⅜	64⅞	65⅞
Socony Mobile Oil Co.	173	47⅞	46⅜	47⅝
Sou. Calif. Edison	35	59⅞	59¼	59¼
Southern Co.	9	37¼	37	37¼
Southern Nat. Gas	14	42⅝	42	42
Southern Pacific Co.	138	63⅞	62¼	63⅝
Sperry Rand Corp	118	24⅛	23½	24
Standard Brands Inc.	13	66⅞	66⅜	66⅜
Standard Oil Calif.	65	58⅜	57⅝	58⅜
Standard Oil Ind.	92	47¼	45⅞	47¼
Standard Oil N.J.	401	56⅜	54⅞	56⅜
Standard Oil Ohio	4	57½	56	57¼
Stanley Warner	5	17⅜	17	17⅜
Sterling Drugs	22	49	47⅞	49
Stewart Warner	1	42	42	42
Stone & Webster	18	55⅜	55¼	55½
Studebaker Packard	98	14⅞	14⅜	14¾
Sunray Midcont. Oil	35	27¼	26½	27⅛
Swift & Company	23	34½	33½	34½
Sylvania Electric	30	58⅞	57	58⅞
—T T—				
Tennessee Gas Trans	37	35⅛	34⅞	35⅛
Texas Co.	53	84⅞	83¾	84⅞
Texas Gulf Prod	10	31¼	30	31
Texas Gulf Sulphur	79	21⅝	21⅜	21⅝
Texas Pacific Land	26	16⅛	16	16⅛
Thompson Prods	39	69½	66½	69½
Tidwater Oil Co.	34	23⅜	22¾	23⅛
Timken Roller Brg	8	45¼	43¾	44⅝
Tri Continental Corp	16	40½	39½	40½
Transamerica Corp	79	30	29⅛	30
TXL Oil	76	22⅝	21	22⅝
Trans World Airl.	7	15⅜	15⅛	15⅜
20th Century Fox	18	37⅝	35⅞	37¼
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Union Oil of Calif	51	45⅝	44⅛	45⅝
Underwood Corp	26	21¾	20⅞	21⅜
Union Carbide Corp	26	124½	122½	124½
Union Pacific RR	98	36	35⅜	35⅞
United Aircraft	26	59¾	58⅛	59¾
United Airlines	16	29½	28⅜	29¼
United Corporation	56	8½	8¼	8½
United Engineering	4	16¼	16⅛	16¼
United Fruit Co.	156	39⅝	38⅞	39½
U. S. Pipe & Foundry	21	26¼	25⅝	26⅛
U. S. Rubber	9	45⅞	45¼	45⅝
U. S. Smelting	13	34¼	33⅝	34⅛
U. S. Steel	161	91¼	88½	90⅝
—V VV—				
Vanadium Corp	11	36¾	35½	36¾
Vick Chemical Co.	3	86	85½	86
Virginia Elec & Pow.	18	39⅞	39½	39¾
Vulcan Materials	38	16¼	15⅞	16¼
—W W—				
Walworth Co.	25	14¼	13⅞	14¼
Ward Baking Co.	9	14⅝	14½	14½
Warner Bros. Pic.	3	24	23⅞	23⅞
Warner Lambert	29	89⅞	88¾	89⅞
West Penn Elec.	5	35½	35½	35½
W. Va. Pulp	11	51	50¼	51
Western Union	66	32⅜	31⅛	32½
Westinghouse Airbr.	207	33	31	33
Westinghouse Elec	116	72½	69⅝	72¼
Wheeling Steel Corp	9	51⅞	51⅛	51¾
White Motors Co.	4	68	68	68
Wilson & Co.	36	30¾	30	30⅝
Woolworth F. W.	34	53⅛	52½	53
—Y Y—				
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THE LITTLE WOMAN

"Thanks, Harold, but we don't need a cart—I'm only getting a few things."

Chicago Grains

CHICAGO (UPI)—Grains hung up weak to moderately firm prices on Christmas Eve on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Wheat closed up ⅛ to off ⅝ cent; corn (old) unchanged to off ⅛ cent; (new) unchanged to off ⅝ cent; oats unchanged to up ¼ cent; rye unchanged to up ½ cent; soybeans off ¾ to 1¼ cents.

Year-end liquidation composed most of the day's selling activity.

Commission houses did some buying in wheat. Most purchases, however, were on a scale down and prices declined.

Corn showed fairly steady in its March contract, but weaker in deferred deliveries. Exporters bought new March. Locals and industrial brokers sold heavily.

Resting orders in the oats market gave some strength. Trade, however, was quiet.

Soybeans were weak. Commission houses sold and uncovered much stop loss orders.

Grains at outside markets were easy. The range:

	High	Low	Close
WHEAT:			
March	194⅛	193⅛	194¾
May	191	190	191
July	181¼	180½	181¼
September	183½	182⅝	183⅝
CORN:			
March	113½	113⅛	113⅜
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May (new)	115	114⅝	114⅞
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Tack a covering of muslin or other material over the back of a radio or television set to keep out dust and consequent repairs.

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Market report for December 22:

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1. No—the face shouldn't be scrubbed with a face cloth. No skin specialists ever said so because such action is too likely to be too drastic. Instead, use a soft complexion brush or your fingertips to work soapy lather into your skin with gentle, rotating motions. Catch water in cupped hands and splash it on for rinsing.

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♠ Q 2
♥ K 10 8 3
♦ A K 5
♣ K 10 8 4

WEST
♠ A 10 9 5 3
♥ 7 6 5
♦ 9 4 3
♣ 9 5

EAST
♠ K 8 6 4
♥ 2
♦ Q 10 8 7
♣ Q J 7 6

SOUTH
♠ J 7
♥ A Q J 9 4
♦ J 6 2
♣ A 3 2

The bidding:

West	North	East	South
Pass	1 ♣	Pass	1 ♥
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

Opening lead: Nine of ♣.

Today's hand offers a variety of end play situations for declarer. It also presents the defense with opportunites to make the declarer work hard for his contract.

Four hearts was reached with dispatch and West opened the nine of clubs. This was not the happiest choice, for a spade opening would have made matters more complicated for declarer. Declarer covered with dummy's ten and took East's jack with the ace. After drawing trumps declarer led a club, a play not endorsed by this department and when West followed with the five it convinced South that the opening lead had been made from a doubleton. He ducked and East won with the six.

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When East obtained the lead with the six of clubs he might have made things more difficult for declarer. Unless West has the ace of spades, the defense is waging a lost cause, for in that case South has ten tricks in plain view. So East playing his partner for that card should cash the king of spades and get out with a spade. West now leads a diamond and South will have to produce a sterling play. He must cash the two high diamonds and run all the trumps. This will effect a squeeze on East who will be unable to hold the queen of diamonds and also protect the queen of clubs.

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Some women still have a few wrong ideas about beauty care and practice.

Do You Make These Beauty Mistakes?

Wrong ideas still persist about how to seek beauty and grace. Most of them are simply unfortunate ,but others are harmful. Today let's momentarily interrupt the Christmas mood and run up the warning signals in the hope that we can prevent mistakes.

1. No—the face shouldn't be scrubbed with a face cloth. No skin specialists ever said so because such action is too likely to be too drastic. Instead, use a soft complexion brush or your fingertips to work soapy lather into your skin with gentle, rotating motions. Catch water in cupped hands and splash it on for rinsing.

2. No—ice isn't good for the skin because it stimulates circulation. Never risk rupturing the tiny blood vessels near the skin surface.

3. No—brushing doesn't spoil waves and curls. Quite the contrary. Brushing encourages the set. Top hairdressers always arrange fresh hairdos with a brush, and so should you, every time.

4. No—brushing does not make the hair oilier. It only seems to after neglect because oil floating on the scalp is brought to the surface of the hair, but proper and faithful brushing benefits oily hair just as it does other kinds.

5. No — eye shadow needn't match the eyes. The most flattering color contrasts with the iris, gray or brown for blue eyes, brown for green eyes, blue or green for gray eyes, green or gay-blue for brown eyes.

6. No—one foot shouldn't be placed directly in front of the other to walk correctly. This straight line walking is practically a balancing act and involves too much sway. Instead, move the feet in two parallel lines two or three inches apart, toes pointing straight ahead.

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The ocotilla puts out bright leaves following a rain, but sheds them quickly when the hot weather comes.

Goren On Bridge

Neither vulnerable, West deals.

NORTH
♠ Q 2
♥ K 10 8 3
♦ A K 5
♣ K 10 8 4

WEST
♠ A 10 9 5 3
♥ 7 6 5
♦ 9 4 3
♣ 9 5

EAST
♠ K 8 6 4
♥ 2
♦ Q 10 8 7
♣ Q J 7 6

SOUTH
♠ J 7
♥ A Q J 9 4
♦ J 6 2
♣ A 3 2

The bidding:

West	North	East	South
Pass	1 ♣	Pass	1 ♥
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

Opening lead: Nine of ♣.

Today's hand offers a variety of end play situations for declarer. It also presents the defense with opportunites to make the declarer work hard for his contract.

Four hearts was reached with dispatch and West opened the nine of clubs. This was not the happiest choice, for a spade opening would have made matters more complicated for declarer. Declarer covered with dummy's ten and took East's jack with the ace. After drawing trumps declarer led a club, a play not endorsed by this department and when West followed with the five it convinced South that the opening lead had been made from a doubleton. He ducked and East won with the six.

East had no attractive return, but considered it reasonably safe to try a spade. South has shown up with ace, queen, jack of hearts and the ace of clubs. If he also held the ace of spades he might be inclined to make a slam try after partner's raise. West won with the ace and returned a diamond. Declarer went up with the king and played the queen of spades. East was in and found himself handicapped. But hoping that partner had the jack, he led a low diamond. Declarer put up the jack and the contest was over.

When East obtained the lead with the six of clubs he might have made things more difficult for declarer. Unless West has the ace of spades, the defense is waging a lost cause, for in that case South has ten tricks in plain view. So East playing his partner for that card should cash the king of spades and get out with a spade. West now leads a diamond and South will have to produce a sterling play. He must cash the two high diamonds and run all the trumps. This will effect a squeeze on East who will be unable to hold the queen of diamonds and also protect the queen of clubs.
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The final contract was reached on a cautious sequence of bids. South was unwilling to accept a no trump contract with nothing in either red suit and he finally obtained a reluctant preference for spades from North.

West opened the queen of diamonds which was won in dummy. In an effort to produce the maximum result, declarer played the ten of spades and finessed for the queen by letting the ten ride. West won, forced declarer with a diamond and South's offense had collapsed. If he drew trumps West would be in to cash diamond tricks when the ace of clubs was dislodged. If he led clubs West would win and force declarer again. Now West, with one more trump than South, would have control of the hand.

Had South been in a slam contract one could not have found fault with his playing technique. But in a game contract it behooved declarer to assure himself of 10 tricks, and no thought should be given to such minor embellishments as picking up the queen of spades.

On winning the opening lead, declarer should cash the two top trumps and when the queen does not fall, he should be content to permit the opposition to make both trumps. He should next drive out the ace of clubs and when the defense forces him, he continues to lead his set up clubs until the enemy trumps are consumed. On this line of play, East and West can win no more than two spades and a club.
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Sims Predicts 99% Tax Collection

CHARLESTON, W. Va. (UPI) —State Auditor Edgar B. Sims says he expects to collect more than 99 per cent of the coroprations taxes due the state in the current fiscal year.

Sims said a delinquent corporation list of 1,100 as of last July 1 had been dwindled to 398.

"Most of the 398 delinquents are small domestic corporations who pay taxes of $20 and now owe a $5 penalty," Sims said. "It will total only about $10,900."

The auditor said corporation tax collections this year would total $1,100,000.

He appealed to the remaining delinquents to pay their taxes now to avoid further penalties and added "if they don't pay, we'll bring suit against them."

Train Wrecks

LISBON (UPI) — An express train crashed into several standing freight cars on a main line near Grandola, in southern Portugal Tuesday night, injuring 15 persons.

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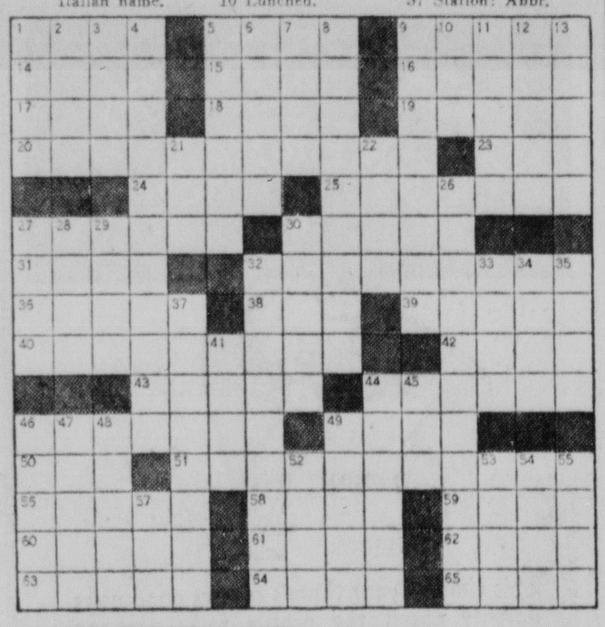
5 Ukrainian or Bulgar.
9 Portuguese colony in China.
14 The two.
15 Part of the ear.
16 Roman rooms.
17 Bonny part of Scotland.
18 Islands in Galway Bay.
19 A great amount: Colloq.
20 What "we hold these truths to be.": 2 words.
23 Letter.
24 Performs.
25 Lifters.
27 Very sentimental.
30 Contaminate.
31 German girl's name.
32 Beyond the diamonds.
36 Circa.
38 One: Ital.
39 Hank the slugger.
40 Farm machine.
42 Greek island, Italian name.
43 Fences.
44 Low shrubs.
46 Quandry.
49 Malay language.
50 Number.
51 Campus group: 2 words.
56 Gust of wind.
58 Bell sound.
59 Clare Boothe ___
60 Sew.
61 Feminine suffix.
62 Very dark.
63 Declare as true.
64 Yells.
65 Soaks, as flax.

DOWN
1 Flows out.
2 Erudition.
3 And elsewhere: Abbr.
4 Masterpiece: 2 words.
5 Cinderella's status.
6 Nocturnal lemur.
7 "There never was a good war or ___ peace." — Franklin: 2 words.
8 Deeply respectful one.
9 Cocktails.
10 Lunched.
11 Transient infatuation.
12 To love: Fr.
13 Fertile spots.
21 Immeasurable period.
22 Childlike: Var.
26 Crush opposition, politically speaking.
27 Ruler.
28 Small armadillo.
29 Smell.
30 Airs.
32 Alien.
33 Firpo, Dempsey's opponent.
34 Proofreader's term.
35 Rialto signs.
37 Truck driver.
41 A monkey.
44 Features of some rivers.
45 Cetacean.
46 ___ Ferry, N. Y.
47 Acquired relative.
48 Rent.
49 May or April.
52 Small bit.
53 River into the Seine.
54 Highlander.
55 Senators: Abbr.
57 Station: Abbr.



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CUT RATE
SHOE STORES
Cumberland
Frostburg Keyser

ON THE LINE

BY BOB CONSIDINE

(EDITOR's NOTE: This is the last of a series of columns about famed sportswriter and sportscaster Bill Corum, who died last week.)

NEW YORK — It was inevitable that Bill Corum, with his champagne tastes and beer income, a fact that never bothered him greatly, would cross paths eventually with the fun-loving freewheeler who became his best friend—Toots Shor.

They met at the end of the 1920s when Toots — now a top New York restaurant man — was a combination manager - bouncer at the old Five O'Clock Club, which Bill frequented. Hardly a day passed thereafter when they did not either get together or speak over the phone.

"I never met a guy like Uncle Will," Toots remarked to me once in his intimate roar. "He's the least excitable fellow about money I ever saw. And about people: I mean their color and religion and dough. Everybody's an American with him.

"He gets less tired of saying 'yes' than anybody. Holy criminy, what a soft touch. He even went on a note for me. When I was trying to build my joint, he was about the only guy thought I could do it. The guy even reads books, too."

Corum announced that he was closing the book on his betting career when he became head of the Kentucky Derby. It was a weighty time, filled with almost as many ups as downs.

One day at Hialeah, Bill was introduced to two elderly ladies and with his unswerving gallantry, and boundless optimism, marked their programs for them. It was their first appearance at a track and he wanted them to understand thoroughly the Republic of France's mocking gift to the world—the pari-mutuel system.

"Now, I'll tell you two ladies what to do," Bill said. "One of you go to the seller's window, buy a ticket on the horses I've marked, and hand it to the other.

"Then you, my dear lady," he said to the other one, "You go to the cashier's window, wait till it opens, give the man the ticket, and collect. That way, you'll be sure of being in line before the man runs out of money."

With increasing wonder they did as he instructed them. Bill had picked the first seven winners, all at good prices. In the cool of the evening, after the eighth and final race, in which the horse he had given the ladies was beaten by a whisker, Bill was dragging his battle-scarred portable out of the horse park, nonchalant in the face of what — for him — had been a losing day.

He saw the two old ladies, and they were quite agitated. "Mr. Corum," one of them said, with some indignation, "the man refuses to pay us for the last race."

So far as his Derby-picking record is concerned, Bill will always be known as the Gene Tunney of handicapping. He's retiring at the top. In the early hours of the morning of May 6, 1949, the day before the final Derby of his legendary predecessor, Corum sat down to write a column which, had you followed it, would have made you a very rich person. He subtitled it "Against Advice of Counsel," which meant that he was cutting away from the consensus of the other experts and ignoring, for once, the pessimistic moans of his trainer-friend, Ben Jones. The column concluded:

"I'm going to bet on Ponder, if only because I don't believe a trainer Ben Jones entry should be held at 15 to 1, if Ben was running an old brown billy goat off a dump heap.

"And Ponder's a heap better than that. Better off his past performance sheet than the owners Wright or the trainer Jones seem to think.

"He was a running horse at the finish of the Derby trial. He comes from the winningest strain there is, from a Derby stable trained by a Derby trainer, and he strikes me as having had just about enough racing this winter and spring to take it all.

"So, here we go, good friends, and it's strictly against the book:

"1. Ponder. 2. Capot. 3. Palestinian. 4. Old Rockport."

P.S.— Ponder won and paid $34, $11.60 and $6.20 across the board. Capot placed, at pay-offs of $9.60 and $5.80. Palestinian was third, paying $4.80. And Old Rockport came where Bill said he would come, fourth.

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1 Greek letter.
6 Where Leaning Tower is.
10 Island between Midway and Guam.
14 Second-hand report.
15 Obligation.
16 Quod ___ demonstrandum.
17 One who is proficient.
18 Peninsula between Okhotsk and Bering seas.
20 Invitation: Colloq.
21 Short poem.
23 Show.
24 Overlay with fine plaster.
26 The Indre flows into it.
28 Nuts and ___
30 First coeducational college in U.S.
34 Outline.
36 Guests at 29 Down.
38 Common suffix.
39 Reactionary.
40 Pacific island group.
41 Fencing weapon.
42 County in Scotland.
43 Passenger fare.
44 Short hits.
45 In good spirits.
47 Superficial show.
49 Not together.
51 Man from Adelaide.
54 Cause of horse lameness.
57 After that.
59 Hosea: Abbr.
60 His nose grew.
62 Relative of a plain song.
64 Copycat.
65 Pitch: Slang.
66 Giving the creeps.
67 Moist.
68 Wriggling.
69 Large birds.

DOWN
1 Snatches.
2 Examine into accounts.
3 One-time resident of Versailles: 2 words.
4 Household article.
5 Section of a document.
6 Lacking spirit or interest.
7 Altogether: 2 words.
8 Arithmetic problem.
9 Imputes.
10 Maker of cloth.
11 "Vissi d' ___"
12 New Zealand parrot.
13 And others: Abbr.
19 Start of a toast.
22 Small point.
25 Ape.
27 Chinese black tea.
29 Kind of social event.
31 Biggest or best portion: 2 words.
32 What-___ (thingumbob): 2 words.
33 Nickname for Nelson.
34 "The ___ at Bay."
35 Honey plant.
37 King topper.
40 North American Indian.
41 Unnecessary bother.
43 Conversation piece.
44 Ouster of the disorderly.
46 Appetizing.
48 New Guinea port
50 Spin.
52 City near Grand Rapids.
53 Sen. Kefauver.
54 Plane of 1917.
55 Smoking device.
56 Freshly.
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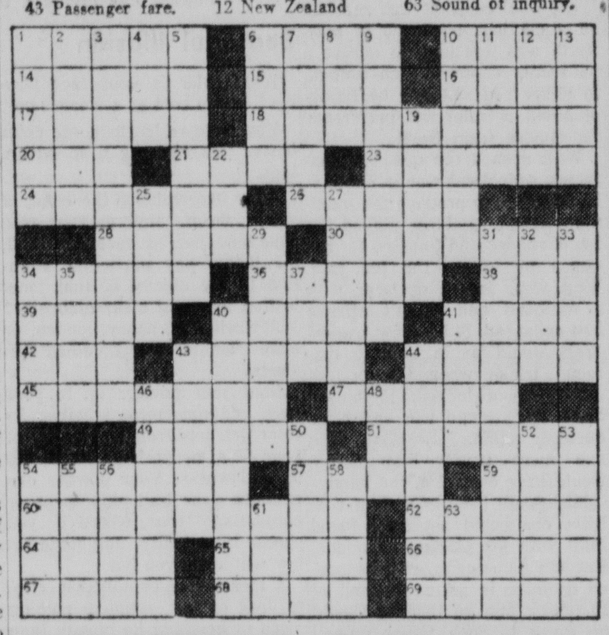
63 Sound of inquiry.



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Answers To Previous Puzzles

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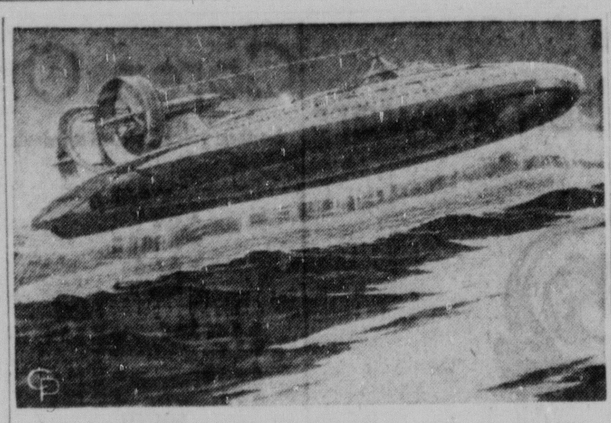

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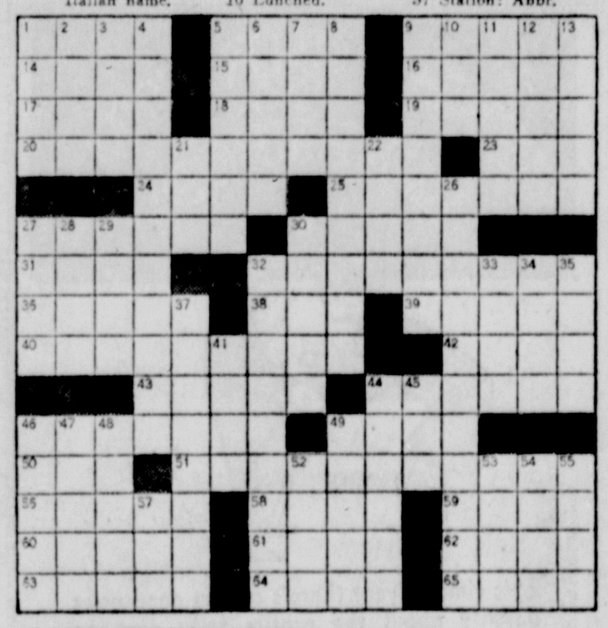
Daily Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

1 Electric: Abbr.
5 Ukrainian or Bulgar.
9 Portuguese colony in China.
14 The two.
15 Part of the ear.
16 Roman rooms.
17 Bonny part of Scotland.
18 Islands in Galway Bay.
19 A great amount: Colloq.
20 What "we hold these truths to be.": 2 words.
23 Letter.
24 Performa.
25 Lifters.
27 Very sentimental.
30 Contaminate.
31 German girl's name.
32 Beyond the diamonds.
36 Circa.
38 One: Ital.
39 Hank the slugger.
40 Farm machine.
42 Greek island, Italian name.
43 Fences.
44 Low shrubs.
46 Quandry.
49 Malay language.
50 Number.
51 Campus group: 2 words.
56 Gust of wind.
58 Bell sound.
59 Clare Boothe ___.
60 Sew.
61 Feminine suffix.
62 Very dark.
63 Declare as true.
64 Yells.
65 Soaks, as flax.

DOWN

1 Flows out.
2 Erudition.
3 And elsewhere: Abbr.
4 Masterpiece: 2 words.
5 Cinderella's status.
6 Nocturnal lemur.
7 "There never was a good war or ___ peace." — Franklin: 2 words.
8 Deeply respectful one.
9 Cocktails.
10 Lunched.
11 Transient infatuation.
12 To love: Fr.
13 Fertile spots.
21 Immeasurable period.
22 Childlike: Var.
26 Crush opposition, politically speaking.
27 Ruler.
28 Small armadillo.
29 Smell.
30 Airs.
32 Alien.
33 Firpo, Dempsey's opponent.
34 Proofreader's term.
35 Rialto signs.
37 Truck driver.
41 A monkey.
44 Features of some rivers.
45 Cetacean.
46 ___ Ferry, N. Y.
47 Acquired relative.
48 Rent.
49 May or April.
52 Small bit.
53 River into the Seine.
54 Highlander.
55 Senators: Abbr.
57 Station: Abbr.



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ON THE LINE

BY BOB CONSIDINE

(EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the last of a series of columns about famed sportswriter and sportscaster Bill Corum, who died last week.)

NEW YORK — It was inevitable that Bill Corum, with his champagne tastes and beer income, a fact that never bothered him greatly, would cross paths eventually with the fun-loving freewheeler who became his best friend—Toots Shor.

They met at the end of the 1920s when Toots — now a top New York restaurant man — was a combination manager - bouncer at the old Five O'Clock Club, which Bill frequented. Hardly a day passed thereafter when they did not either get together or speak over the phone.

"I never met a guy like Uncle Will," Toots remarked to me once in his intimate roar. "He's the least excitable fellow about money I ever saw. And about people: I mean their color and religion and dough. Everybody's an American with him.

"He gets less tired of saying 'yes' than anybody. Holy criminy, what a soft touch. He even went on a note for me. When I was trying to build my joint, he was about the only guy thought I could do it. The guy even reads books, too."

Corum announced that he was closing the book on his betting career when he became head of the Kentucky Derby. It was a weighty time, filled with almost as many ups as downs.

One day at Hialeah, Bill was introduced to two elderly ladies and with his unswerving gallantry, and boundless optimism, marked their programs for them. It was their first appearance at a track and he wanted them to understand thoroughly the Republic of France's mocking gift to the world—the pari-mutuel system.

"Now, I'll tell you two ladies what to do," Bill said. "One of you go to the seller's window, buy a ticket on the horses I've marked, and hand it to the other.

"Then you, my dear lady," he said to the other one, "You go to the cashier's window, wait till it opens, give the man the ticket, and collect. That way, you'll be sure of being in line before the man runs out of money."

With increasing wonder they did as he instructed them. Bill had picked the first seven winners, all at good prices. In the cool of the evening, after the eighth and final race, in which the horse he had given the ladies was beaten by a whisker, Bill was dragging his battle-scarred portable out of the horse park, nonchalant in the face of what — for him — had been a losing day.

He saw the two old ladies, and they were quite agitated. "Mr. Corum," one of them said, with some indignation, "the man refuses to pay us for the last race."

So far as his Derby-picking record is concerned, Bill will always be known as the Gene Tunney of handicapping. He's retiring at the top. In the early hours of the morning of May 6, 1949, the day before the final Derby of his legendary predecessor, Corum sat down to write a column which, had you followed it, would have made you a very rich person. He subtitled it "Against Advice of Counsel," which meant that he was cutting away from the consensus of the other experts and ignoring, for once, the pessimistic moans of his trainer-friend, Ben Jones. The column concluded:

"I'm going to bet on Ponder, if only because I don't believe a trainer Ben Jones entry should be held at 15 to 1, if Ben was running an old brown billy goat off a dump heap.

"And Ponder's a heap better than that. Better off his past performance sheet than the owners Wright or the trainer Jones seem to think.

"He was a running horse at the finish of the Derby trial. He comes from the winningest strain there is, from a Derby stable trained by a Derby trainer, and he strikes me as having had just about enough racing this winter and spring to take it all.

"So, here we go, good friends, and it's strictly against the book:

"1. Ponder. 2. Capot. 3. Palestinian. 4. Old Rockport."

P.S.— Ponder won and paid $34, $11.60 and $6.20 across the board. Capot placed, at pay-offs of $9.60 and $5.80. Palestinian was third, paying $4.80. And Old Rockport came where Bill said he would come, fourth.

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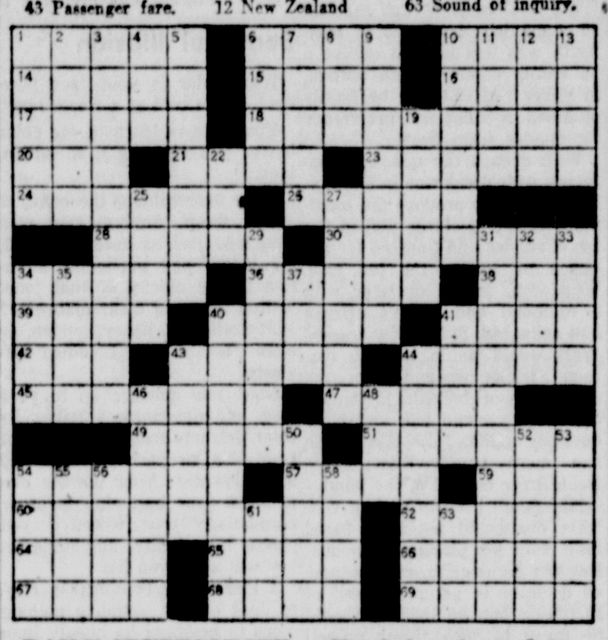
10 Island between Midway and Guam.
14 Second-hand report.
15 Obligation.
16 Quod ___ demonstrandum.
17 One who is proficient.
18 Peninsula between Okhotsk and Bering seas.
20 Invitation: Colloq.
21 Short poem.
23 Show.
24 Overlay with fine plaster.
26 The Indre flows into it.
28 Nuts and ___
30 First coeducational college in U.S.
34 Outline.
36 Guests at 29 Down.
38 Common suffix.
39 Reactionary.
40 Pacific island group.
41 Fencing weapon.
42 County in Scotland.
43 Passenger fare.
44 Short hits.
45 In good spirits.
47 Superficial show.
49 Not together.
51 Man from Adelaide.
54 Cause of horse lameness.
57 After that.
59 Hosea: Abbr.
60 His nose grew.
62 Relative of a plain song.
64 Copycat.
65 Pitch: Slang.
66 Giving the creeps.
67 Moist.
68 Wriggling.
69 Large birds.

DOWN

1 Snatches.
2 Examine into accounts.
3 One-time resident of Versailles: 2 words.
4 Household article.
5 Section of a document.
6 Lacking spirit or interest.
7 Altogether: 2 words.
8 Arithmetic problem.
9 Imputes.
10 Maker of cloth.
11 "Vissi d' ___."
12 New Zealand parrot.
13 And others: Abbr.
19 Start of a toast.
22 Small point.
25 Ape.
27 Chinese black tea.
29 Kind of social event.
31 Biggest or best portion: 2 words.
32 What-___ (thingumbob): 2 words.
33 Nickname for Nelson.
34 "The ___ at Bay."
35 Honey plant.
37 King topper.
40 North American Indian.
41 Unnecessary bother.
43 Conversation piece.
44 Ouster of the disorderly.
46 Appetizing.
48 New Guinea port
50 Spin.
52 City near Grand Rapids.
53 Sen. Kefauver.
54 Plane of 1917.
55 Smoking device.
56 Freshly.
58 Saintly.
61 Tint.
63 Sound of inquiry.



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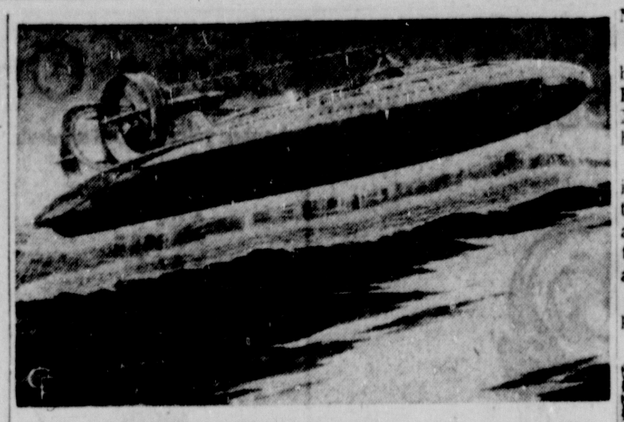

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Homemakers At Midland Conduct Party

Mrs. Durst Becomes Vice-President

MIDLAND—The Midland Homemakers club held its Christmas party a recent evening at the V.F.W. home in Lonaconing commencing with a turkey supper served by Mrs. Gertrude Cave and her co-workers.

The holiday theme was carried out in decorations on the table and throughout the large dining hall. The Homemakers blessing was sung by the group followed by each member giving a short blessing.

At each plate a miniature Santa Claus or angel in plastic was placed by Pearl Blair, nutrition chairman of the club. A short business meeting included the Lord's Prayer and pledge to the flag with Mrs. Pansy Thrasher as presiding officer.

Mrs. Gertrude Smith, parliamentarian of the club, installed into office, Mrs. Elsie Durst, vice-president, and Mrs. Pearl Blair, secretary. The president announced an executive county board meeting for Monday, December, 29 at 10:30 a. m. at the home demonstration office in Cumberland.

The Christmas program was in charge of Mrs. Winnie Llewellyn. Santa Claus was portrayed by Mrs. Pearl Alexander, who distributed popcorn balls and gifts exchanged by the members after drawing of names. Santa also read letters he wrote to members and signed by names of each person as before their marriage.

The Scripture story was read from St. Luke's Gospel, by Mrs. Pearl Blair.

Others taking part in the program were Delora Orr, Audrey Buckalew, Gert Smith, Winnie Llewellyn, Irene Llewellyn, Mary Manley and Rosemary McMillan Each member told of the birth of Christ in poem, story or song. They also sang Christmas carols.

Ellerslie Personals

Mrs. Henry Lowery is a patient in Sacred Heart Hospital.

Mrs. Mary Airesman is a patient in Memorial Hospital.

Playground Group Holds Yule Party

The Braddock Park Playground Association in Frostburg held a Christmas party a recent afternoon at the playlot in Frostburg for children enrolled this past season. Pictured are some of the children who attended the party. Carols were sung and Santa Claus had a treat for approximately 85 children present. The party is an annual custom in the Frostburg area.

Flintstone Fire Company Will Install Officers

FLINTSTONE—Installation of newly-elected officers of the Flintstone Volunteer Fire Company will be held Friday, January 9, at the fire hall.

The fire company's staff will be inducted along with officers of the ladies auxiliary at a combined dinner-meeting.

Firemen elected include Lawrence Smith, president; Walter Barnes, vice president; Ernest Huffman, secretary; Merl Hinkle, teasurer; Lawrence F. Kyle, financial secretary.

Cleland Helmick, fire chief; Ernest Huffman, assistant fire chief; Floyd Ruby, ambulance captain; Walter Barnes, assistant ambulance captain.

Eugene Kisamore, trustee for three years; Dayton Dolly, trustee for one year; Cleland Helmick, hall manager, and Frank Berry, sergeant-at-arms.

English Baptist Children Feted

FROSTBURG — The nursery, beginner, primary and junior departments of First English Baptist Church were entertained with a Christmas party a recent evening.

Christmas carols were sung and Santa was on hand to distribute the gifts. Refreshments were served.

WVU Funds Cut $71,800 By Board

CHARLESTON, W. Va. (UPI)—West Virginia University's proposed operating budget for 1959-60, as approved Tuesday by the State Board of Public Works is $71,800 below the current year's appropiation.

It totals $6,600,134 and compares to $6,671,934 for the current year.

The Board struck out a request for a vice president at a $20,000 annual salary and eliminated two other positions originally recommended by the Department of Finance and Administration. These were a secretary for the vice president and creation of a director of purchases who would handle all of the school's requisitions.

It reduced by $15,500 a requested increase in aid to veterinary students and reshuffled some current expenses. It cut by $9,005, a recommended $89,005 for scientific education and lab expenses; cut by $2,000 a recommended $97,000 for heat; dropped by $8,000 a request of $40,000 for postal expenses and cut by $8,095 a requested $33,980 for insurance and bonds.

The new recommended appropriations in each instance are slightly higher than those for the current year.

The board also approved a request of $6,500 for setting up an industrial relations department within its graduate school and another $15,700 for labor extension work.

The proposed budget carries other minor adjustments from the present appropriation.

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Seminarian Accepts Call To Bittinger

BITTINGER — John William Kline, senior student at Lutheran Theological Seminary in Gettysburg, Pa., has accepted a call to serve three churches in the Bittinger area.

Rev. Mr. Kline plans to visit Bittinger every weekend. He will move into the parsonage there after his graduation March 6.

Born in suburban Philadelphia, he attended State Teachers' College at West Chester, Pa., and Drew Theological School.

Both he and his wife then became Lutherans, and he enrolled as a student at the Gettysburg Theological Seminary. He is a graduate in music education. His wife holds a degree in music from Penn State University.

The Bittinger parish has been without a pastor for three years since the death of the last pastor, Rev. James A. Allan. The church has been served regularly by students from the seminary at Gettysburg, and the parish work has gone on in all three churches. During that period some improvements were made in all the churches. New floors and new pews were installed in St. John's Church, Meadow Mountain. At Zion, Jennings, a new floor covering and other improvements were made, and a new electronic organ was purchased. At Emmanuel, Bittinger, improvements were made in the basement and a new electronic organ was purchased.

W.Va. High Court Volunteers To Reduce Spending

CHARLESTON, W. Va. (UPI)—The West Virginia Supreme Court volunteered Tuesday to reduce its spending by 5 per cent for the rest of the fiscal year as ordered by the State Board of Public Works.

The court said in a letter to Finance Director George B. Vieweg it believed that neither the Legislature nor the board could reduce its appropriation but that the court would reserve $10,525 of its current $210,360 appropriation in line with the order issued by the board as a result of declining state revenue.

Hines said appropriations for the State Law Library and the State Board of Law Examiners also would be cut.

W.Va. Indigents Will Get Less After March 1

Action Necessary Because Of Order

CHARLESTON, W. Va. (UPI)—Grants made to old age pensioners and other indigents by the State Department of Public Assistance will be cut by $1 to $3 a month beginning March 1 because of the 5 per cent cutback in state spending ordered by the Board of Public Works.

DPA Director Thomas R. Egbert said Tuesday the reductions will actually amount to more than 5 per cent because the board's order will mean a loss of additional federal matching funds.

Reductions ordered by the board mean a DPA budget cut of $523,000 in spending by the department. A total of $375,000 of this amount would be cut from four main relief categories as of March 1 and $148,324 would be cut from equipment and personnel accounts.

Egbert said he decided to reduce spending by 7½ per cent through the last four months of this fiscal year rather than 5 per cent from January because January and February "are the toughest months on the indigent."

As of March 1, average monthly grants to the blind will be reduced from $37.31 to $34.32. Egbert. Old age pensioners will receive $30.27 a month instead of $32.70; persons totally disabled will get $33.18 instead of $35.63, and aid to dependent children will be cut from $22.72 to $21.70.

The director said he is still studying the possibility of asking the Legislature for a supplemental appropriation to reduce or eliminate the proposed cuts.

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Homemakers At Midland Conduct Party

Mrs. Durst Becomes Vice-President

MIDLAND—The Midland Homemakers club held its Christmas party a recent evening at the V.F.W. home in Lonaconing commencing with a turkey supper served by Mrs. Gertrude Cave and her co-workers.

The holiday theme was carried out in decorations on the table and throughout the large dining hall. The Homemakers blessing was sung by the group followed by each member giving a short blessing.

At each plate a miniature Santa Claus or angel in plastic was placed by Pearl Blair, nutrition chairman of the club. A short business meeting included the Lord's Prayer and pledge to the flag with Mrs. Pansy Thrasher as presiding officer.

Mrs. Gertrude Smith, parliamentarian of the club, installed into office, Mrs. Elsie Durst, vice-president, and Mrs. Pearl Blair, secretary. The president announced an executive county board meeting for Monday, December, 29 at 10:30 a. m. at the home demonstration office in Cumberland.

The Christmas program was in charge of Mrs. Winnie Llewellyn. Santa Claus was portrayed by Mrs. Pearl Alexander, who distributed popcorn balls and gifts exchanged by the members after drawing of names. Santa also read letters he wrote to members and signed by names of each person as before their marriage.

The Scripture story was read from St. Luke's Gospel, by Mrs. Pearl Blair.

Others taking part in the program were Delora Orr, Audrey Buckalew, Gert Smith, Winnie Llewellyn, Irene Llewellyn, Mary Manley and Rosemary McMillan Each member told of the birth of Christ in poem, story or song. They also sang Christmas carols.

Ellerslie Personals

Mrs. Henry Lowery is a patient in Sacred Heart Hospital.

Mrs. Mary Airesman is a patient in Memorial Hospital.

Playground Group Holds Yule Party

The Braddock Park Playground Association in Frostburg held a Christmas party a recent afternoon at the playlot in Frostburg for children enrolled this past season. Pictured are some of the children who attended the party. Carols were sung and Santa Claus had a treat for approximately 85 children present. The party is an annual custom in the Frostburg area.

Flintstone Fire Company Will Install Officers

FLINTSTONE—Installation of newly-elected officers of the Flintstone Volunteer Fire Company will be held Friday, January 9, at the fire hall.

The fire company's staff will be inducted along with officers of the ladies auxiliary at a combined dinner-meeting.

Firemen elected include Lawrence Smith, president; Walter Barnes, vice president; Ernest Huffman, secretary; Merl Hinkle, teasurer; Lawrence F. Kyle, financial secretary.

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English Baptist Children Feted

FROSTBURG — The nursery, beginner, primary and junior departments of First English Baptist Church were entertained with a Christmas party a recent evening.

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WVU Funds Cut $71,800 By Board

CHARLESTON, W. Va. (UPI)—West Virginia University's proposed operating budget for 1959-60, as approved Tuesday by the State Board of Public Works is $71,800 below the current year's appropiation.

It totals $6,600,134 and compares to $6,671,934 for the current year.

The Board struck out a request for a vice president at a $20,000 annual salary and eliminated two other positions originally recommended by the Department of Finance and Administration. These were a secretary for the vice president and creation of a director of purchases who would handle all of the school's requisitions.

It reduced by $15,500 a requested increase in aid to veterinary students and reshuffled some current expenses. It cut by $9,005, a recommended $89,005 for scientific education and lab expenses; cut by $2,000 a recommended $97,000 for heat; dropped by $8,000 a request of $40,000 for postal expenses and cut by $8,095 a requested $33,980 for insurance and bonds.

The new recommended appropriations in each instance are slightly higher than those for the current year.

The board also approved a request of $6,500 for setting up an industrial relations department within its graduate school and another $15,700 for labor extension work.

The proposed budget carries other minor adjustments from the present appropriation.

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Seminarian Accepts Call To Bittinger

BITTINGER — John William Kline, senior student at Lutheran Theological Seminary in Gettysburg, Pa., has accepted a call to serve three churches in the Bittinger area.

Rev. Mr. Kline plans to visit Bittinger every weekend. He will move into the parsonage there after his graduation March 6.

Born in suburban Philadelphia, he attended State Teachers' College at West Chester, Pa., and Drew Theological School.

Both he and his wife then became Lutherans, and he enrolled as a student at the Gettysburg Theological Seminary. He is a graduate in music education. His wife holds a degree in music from Penn State University.

The Bittinger parish has been without a pastor for three years since the death of the last pastor, Rev. James A. Allan. The church has been served regularly by students from the seminary at Gettysburg, and the parish work has gone on in all three churches. During that period some improvements were made in all the churches. New floors and new pews were installed in St. John's Church, Meadow Mountain. At Zion, Jennings, a new floor covering and other improvements were made, and a new electronic organ was purchased. At Emmanuel, Bittinger, improvements were made in the basement and a new electronic organ was purchased.

W.Va. High Court Volunteers To Reduce Spending

CHARLESTON, W. Va. (UPI)—The West Virginia Supreme Court volunteered Tuesday to reduce its spending by 5 per cent for the rest of the fiscal year as ordered by the State Board of Public Works.

The court said in a letter to Finance Director George B. Vieweg it believed that neither the Legislature nor the board could reduce its appropriation but that the court would reserve $10,525 of its current $210,500 appropriation in line with the order issued by the board as a result of declining state revenue.

Hines said appropriations for the State Law Library and the State Board of Law Examiners also would be cut.

W.Va. Indigents Will Get Less After March 1

Action Necessary Because Of Order

CHARLESTON, W. Va. (UPI)—Grants made to old age pensioners and other indigents by the State Department of Public Assistance will be cut by $1 to $3 a month beginning March 1 because of the 5 per cent cutback in state spending ordered by the Board of Public Works.

DPA Director Thomas R. Egbert said Tuesday the reductions will actually amount to more than 5 per cent because the board's order will mean a loss of additional federal matching funds.

Reductions ordered by the board mean a DPA budget cut of $523,000 in spending by the department. A total of $375,000 of this amount would be cut from four main relief categories as of March 1 and $148,324 would be cut from equipment and personnel accounts.

Egbert said he decided to reduce spending by 7½ per cent through the last four months of this fiscal year rather than 5 per cent from January because January and February "are the toughest months on the indigent."

As of March 1, average monthly grants to the blind will be reduced from $37.31 to $34.32, Egbert. Old age pensioners will receive $30.27 a month instead of $32.70; persons totally disabled will get $33.18 instead of $35.03, and aid to dependent children will be cut from $22.72 to $21.70.

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111 Volunteer To Give Blood At Moorefield

87 Bottles Taken By Bloodmobile

MOOREFIELD, W. Va. — One hundred and eleven persons presented themselves at the Moose Home Monday as blood donors for the Red Cross Bloodmobile which was here from 10 a. m. until 4 p. m.

From that group, 87 bottles of blood were obtained, 24 persons being rejected for one reason or another. Of those 24, all but one had given blood on previous occasions.

Donors came from various parts of the county: one each from Wardensville, Rock Oak, Kirby, Kessel; two each from Rio, Needmore, Old Fields; three from Mathias; four each from Fisher and Purgitsville and the rest from Moorefield. One donor was from Petersburg.

Fifteen volunteer workers gave a total of 90 hours: Mrs. Guy Bean, Mrs. Ted Evans, Mrs. John Harman, Mrs. Ashby Scea, Mrs. Ted Sager, Mrs. Ervin Bowman, Mrs. Ed Baker, Mrs. A. C. McNeill, Mrs. R. E. Fisher, Mrs. W. J. Teets, Mrs. Jim Tenney, Mrs. R. E. Williams, Mrs. Thurman Reynolds and Mrs. Marion Souder. Eddie Hesen served as motor service all day.

Only 59 persons had scheduled in advance and of them, only 44 appeared. The 67 walk-ins brought the list up to 111.

Garrett County Women Elected To Office

OAKLAND—Two Garrett County women have been elected officers in the Western Maryland Home Economics Association.

They are Mrs. John H. Carter, vice president, and Miss Ethel Grove, secretary. They were elected at the association's recent meeting at St. Joseph's College.

Instead of meeting again in March, the association will act as hostess for the Maryland home economics meeting March 13 and 14 at South High School in Hagerstown. The group plans to meet in August and visit the Cumberland Glass Company plant at Mt. Savage.

Make Plenty Of Christmas Music

This group of fourth, fifth and six graders of Hill Street Elementary School in Frostburg sang Christmas carols in the vicinity of the school last week. They were supervised by Charles Pinto, Mrs. Nancy Robeson, Miss Veronica Sleeman and Miss Isadore Casey. The caroling was a feature of the final day before classes closed for Christmas.

Gortner Heads Oakland Firemen

OAKLAND—A. G. Gortner has been re-elected president of the Oakland Volunteer Fire Department.

Other officers renamed are S. F. Hamill Jr., vice president; Percy Thayer, secretary; W. W. Dawson, treasurer; Harold Schell, chief; John Sharps, first assistant chief; Frank Biser, second assistant chief and Charles Davis, captain.

The standing committee includes W. W. Dawson, Grover Stemple and Robert Stanton.

Pythians To Hold Covered Dish Supper

LONACONING — A covered dish supper and jingle party will be held Monday, December 29, at 6 p. m. at the Pythian hall.

Morning Star Temple No. 1, Pythian Sisters, and Rising Sun Lodge 86, Knights of Pythias, members and their guests will be attended this special holiday event.

Students Lack Proper Study Habits Today

Marshall Dean Cites Problem

HUNTINGTON, W. Va. (UPI)—Dean D. Banks Wilburn said Tuesday failure to achieve proper study habits is one of the chief reasons for current academic problems for some 600 of 1,600 students in teachers college at Marshall College.

Wilburn said letters of caution, with copies to parents, have been mailed to students who had done unsatisfactory work in one or more subjects at the end of the second six weeks period.

The dean said a number of those lagging in their work were freshmen and, in many instances, had not become "adjusted to college and have not learned to study."

He said the number of students receiving such warnings of academic instability is increasing but that it does not necessarily mean the caliber of students at the college has fallen. He said enrollment had grown but that he had not made a thorough comparison with previous years.

WVU President Will Address Charleston Club

CHARLESTON, W. Va. (UPI)—The Charleston Rotary Club and Kanawha County alumni members will be addressed Feb. 13 by West Virginia University president-elect Elvis J. Stahr Jr.

Stahr, who will take over as president Feb. 1, will appear in connection with the university's 92nd birthday. The Legislature created the Agricultural College of West Virginia Feb. 7, 1867, and renamed it West Virginia University one year later.

Stahr, vice chancellor of the University of Pittsburgh, succeeds Irvin Stewart who resigned last summer as WVU president after holding the post for 12 years. Law School Dean Clyde L. Colson was named acting president until Stahr is installed.

Frostburgers End Recruit Training

FROSTBURG—David W. Morgan, son of Mr. and Mrs. David S. Morgan, RFD 1, and James T. Sigler, son of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Sigler, also RFD 1, were graduated recently from recruit training at the Great Lakes, Ill., Naval Training Center.

The graduation ceremonies December 13, marking the end of nine weeks of "boot camp," included a full dress parade and review before military officials and civilian dignitaries.

Mt. Savage Briefs

Mt. Savage Volunteer Fire Company answered a call Tuesday afternoon to extinguish a brush fire near Moss Cottage. Damage was slight.

Mrs. George Shaffer and infant son returned home from Memorial Hospital, Cumberland.

Hyndman Class Hears Doctor

HYNDMAN—The Young Adult Bible Class of United Church of Christ met recently in the parish house. Dr. John Topper discussed "Parenthood." Rev. John Zinn introduced the speaker and the class took up a collection to be given to a needy family in Hyndman. James Pick had charge of devotions.

New officers were elected for the coming year as follows: President, James Pick; vice president, Vance Diehl; secretary, Bonnie Leydig and treasurer, Grace Logsdon.

Refreshments were served by Hilda Hengst, Grace Cook and Betty Cook to the 22 persons present.

Moorefield Firemen Plan Installation

MOOREFIELD, W. Va. — The Moorefield Volunteer Fire Company will install officers on Thursday, January 8, at the Firemen's Hall at a dinner meeting starting at 6:30. All members, their wives and honorary members of the volunteer group are expected to be present.

Officers for the ensuing year are L. L. McConnell, president; Elmo Pownell, first vice-president; Gilbert 'Rocky' Raines, second vice-president; Jan Schmutz, secretary; Thomas B. McNeill, treasurer. Named fire chief for the coming year is C. C. Hesen, first assistant chief is M. M. 'Dyke' Friddle, second assistant chief is Grover 'Chick' Charlton and first driver is Welton Ruckman. All of the officers were re-elected.

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111 Volunteer To Give Blood At Moorefield

87 Bottles Taken By Bloodmobile

MOOREFIELD, W. Va. — One hundred and eleven persons presented themselves at the Moose Home Monday as blood donors for the Red Cross Bloodmobile which was here from 10 a. m. until 4 p. m.

From that group, 87 bottles of blood were obtained, 24 persons being rejected for one reason or another. Of those 24, all but one had given blood on previous occasions.

Donors came from various parts of the county: one each from Wardensville, Rock Oak, Kirby, Kessel; two each from Rio, Needmore, Old Fields; three from Mathias; four each from Fisher and Purgitsville and the rest from Moorefield. One donor was from Petersburg.

Fifteen volunteer workers gave a total of 90 hours: Mrs. Guy Bean, Mrs. Ted Evans, Mrs. John Harman, Mrs. Ashby Scea, Mrs. Ted Sager, Mrs. Ervin Bowman, Mrs. Ed Baker, Mrs. A. C. McNeill, Mrs. R. E. Fisher, Mrs. W. J. Teets, Mrs. Jim Tenney, Mrs. R. E. Williams, Mrs. Thurman Reynolds and Mrs. Marion Souder. Eddie Hesen served as motor service all day.

Only 59 persons had scheduled in advance and of them, only 44 appeared. The 67 walk-ins brought the list up to 111.

Garrett County Women Elected To Office

OAKLAND—Two Garrett County women have been elected officers in the Western Maryland Home Economics Association.

They are Mrs. John H. Carter, vice president, and Miss Ethel Grove, secretary. They were elected at the association's recent meeting at St. Joseph's College.

Instead of meeting again in March, the association will act as hostess for the Maryland home economics meeting March 13 and 14 at South High School in Hagerstown. The group plans to meet in August and visit the Cumberland Glass Company plant at Mt. Savage.

Make Plenty Of Christmas Music

This group of fourth, fifth and six graders of Hill Street Elementary School in Frostburg sang Christmas carols in the vicinity of the school last week. They were supervised by Charles Pinto, Mrs. Nancy Robeson, Miss Veronica Sleeman and Miss Isadore Casey. The caroling was a feature of the final day before classes closed for Christmas.

Gortner Heads Oakland Firemen

OAKLAND—A. G. Gortner has been re-elected president of the Oakland Volunteer Fire Department.

Other officers renamed are S. F. Hamill Jr., vice president; Percy Thayer, secretary; W. W. Dawson, treasurer; Harold Schell, chief; John Sharps, first assistant chief; Frank Biser, second assistant chief and Charles Davis, captain.

The standing committee includes W. W. Dawson, Grover Stemple and Robert Stanton.

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LONACONING — A covered dish supper and jingle party will be held Monday, December 29, at 6 p. m. at the Pythian hall.

Morning Star Temple No. 1, Pythian Sisters, and Rising Sun Lodge 86, Knights of Pythias, members and their guests will be attended this special holiday event.

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Marshall Dean Cites Problem

HUNTINGTON, W. Va. (UPI)—Dean D. Banks Wilburn said Tuesday failure to achieve proper study habits is one of the chief reasons for current academic problems for some 600 of 1,600 students in teachers college at Marshall College.

Wilburn said letters of caution, with copies to parents, have been mailed to students who had done unsatisfactory work in one or more subjects at the end of the second six weeks period.

The dean said a number of those lagging in their work were freshmen and, in many instances, had not become "adjusted to college and have not learned to study."

He said the number of students receiving such warnings of academic instability is increasing but that it does not necessarily mean the caliber of students at the college has fallen. He said enrollment had grown but that he had not made a thorough comparison with previous years.

WVU President Will Address Charleston Club

CHARLESTON, W. Va. (UPI)—The Charleston Rotary Club and Kanawha County alumni members will be addressed Feb. 13 by West Virginia University president-elect Elvis J. Stahr Jr.

Stahr, who will take over as president Feb. 1, will appear in connection with the university's 92nd birthday. The Legislature created the Agricultural College of West Virginia Feb. 7, 1867, and renamed it West Virginia University one year later.

Stahr, vice chancellor of the University of Pittsburgh, succeeds Irvin Stewart who resigned last summer as WVU president after holding the post for 12 years. Law School Dean Clyde L. Colson was named acting president until Stahr is installed.

Frostburgers End Recruit Training

FROSTBURG—David W. Morgan, son of Mr. and Mrs. David S. Morgan, RFD 1, and James T. Sigler, son of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Sigler, also RFD 1, were graduated recently from recruit training at the Great Lakes, Ill., Naval Training Center.

The graduation ceremonies December 13, marking the end of nine weeks of "boot camp," included a full dress parade and review before military officials and civilian dignitaries.

Mt. Savage Briefs

Mt. Savage Volunteer Fire Company answered a call Tuesday afternoon to extinguish a brush fire near Moss Cottage. Damage was slight.

Mrs. George Shaffer and infant son returned home from Memorial Hospital, Cumberland.

Hyndman Class Hears Doctor

HYNDMAN—The Young Adult Bible Class of United Church of Christ met recently in the parish house. Dr. John Topper discussed "Parenthood." Rev. John Zinn introduced the speaker and the class took up a collection to be given to a needy family in Hyndman. James Pick had charge of devotions.

New officers were elected for the coming year as follows: President, James Pick; vice president, Vance Diehl; secretary, Bonnie Leydig and treasurer, Grace Logsdon.

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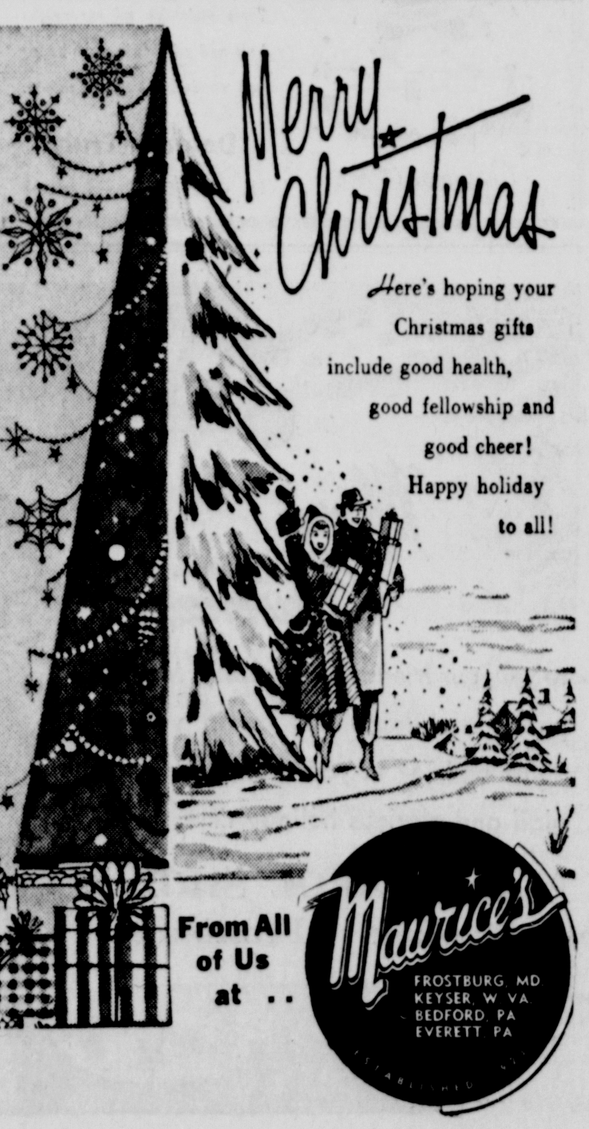

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It is planned to have details developed to the point of signing up growers by the time the West Virginia State Horticultural Society Convention is held in Martinsburg in February, 1959, so that the bargaining association can become a reality in apple time to handle next season's crop.

Basically, the contract between the bargaining association and the grower calls for 10(per cent commitment on processing apples with no "part-way" deals permitted, although a 10 per cent leeway, more or less is allowed.

As soon as 40 to 50 per cent of the total processing tonnage is lined up, the new organization will become operative. It is hoped that a far greater volume can be contracted in order that the bargaining association will have more effective status when they sit down to talk with the canners. The cost of the association's service is to be defrayed by the deduction of a maximum, under forseeable circumstances, of one per cent of the gross price paid by the processors. There will be penalties on both sides of the fence, according to proposals, with the canners bound to pay the bargaining association members the maximum paid to the "rugged individuals" who do not join up. Growers will be liable to lawsuit if they fail to deliver commitments

Fox Eradication Contest Extended

MOOREFIELD, W. Va. — The Bean Settlement Ruritan Club has extended the fox eradication contest to April 1 to enable trappers to have more time to kill the varmints. This extension on the contest was announced last week by Winfred Park, one of the club officials.

The fox killing contest started last year as a means of eradicating rabid foxes in the county which were endangering livestock and poultry and endangering school children. The contest was extended once before.

A first prize of $100 will be given to the person killing the most foxes in the county, by any means. A second prize will be given of $50, a third of $25 and ten of $10. Prizes will also be given for the oldest person bagging a fox and to the youngest person making a kill.

Contest rules are simple, kill a fox and check it with Williams Service Station at Moorefield, Criders Store at Fabius, Bowman's Store at Needmore, Chris See's Station at Wardensville, or Stanley See's Station at Mathias. The dead animals may be checked with Conservation Officer Bart Townsend in Moorefield or Conservation Officer Al Lewis at Wardensville.

Ruritan Club officials said that not enough entries had been received to date to justify ending the contest on January 1 as scheduled.

Westernport Man Takes Army Course

WESTERNPORT—Major Louis E. Hicks will be graduated from the U. S. Army Command and General Staff College at Fort Leavenworth, Kan., Friday.

Major Hicks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis E. Hicks, 314 Maryland Avenue, completed the Army War College associate course.

A graduate of George Washington University, Washington, Class of 1941, he will return to Keesler Air Force Base, Miss., where he is an instructor at the USAF Air-Ground Operations School.

He and his wife, the former Mrs. B. Frances Harris, Monroe, N. C., have one daughter, Nancy Harris, 7.

Shepherd College To Register Students

SHEPHERDSTOWN, W. Va. — Registration for the second semester at Shepherd College will be held on Tuesday, January 27, with registration for night classes to be held the following evening, Wednesday, January 28, it was pointed out yesterday by the office of the registrar.

Veterans and others who wish to enter college for the first time may do so at the beginning of the second semester, as a full schedule of entering freshman courses is taught, it was stressed. Shepherd has full facilities for both entering freshmen and transfer students, but prospective students should make arrangements with the office of the registrar before the actual day of registration in order to expedite matters pertaining to admission and registration, A. P. Rizer, Shepherd registrar, stated.

A night schedule of nine classes will be held at the college on Wednesday evenings. Such courses carry full college credit and are counted as resident credit.

In addition to the night schedule there are 180 courses listed in the spring schedule, ranging from the beginning courses for entering freshmen to advanced classes in each of the divisions which might interest adults and college graduates. Such courses as business writing, oil painting, mythology, U. S. foreign policy, constitutional law, private music lessons, and various classes in literature, psychology, sciences, and business might be attractive to adults in the area.

Any person who wishes additional information about the schedule and possible enrollment procedure should get in touch with A. P. Rider, Shepherd College registrar. His office in Knutti Hall is open from 8 a.m. to 4:30 each day except Saturday when it closes at noon. Mr. Rider said that it was particularly important that veterans and beginning freshmen make their arrangements as soon as possible.

Ellerslie Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Stuby and daughters, Nashville, Tenn., are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stuby, over the Christmas holidays.

Pvt. Albert Bingham, Fort Knox, Ky., is visiting his father, Herman Bingham.

John E. DeVore is ill at his home.

Mrs. Mary Airesman and Mrs. Emma Lowery are patients in Memorial Hospital.

Frank Hansrote, Norfolk, Va., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hansrote.

Mr. and Mrs. David Burkett, Arlington, Va., returned home after visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Saeler and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Burkett.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Creasap and son, Martinsburg, W. Va., visited her father, Charles Beal and brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cooper.

Lt. and Mrs. Richard Lowery and daughter, Fort Dix, N. J., are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alden Lowery.

Women Entertained At Luncheon

MOOREFIELD, W. Va. — Mrs. A. C. Ludwick, Jr., and Mrs. Richard Troughton entertained with a luncheon at the Ludwick home Wednesday, December 17.

Guests were Mrs. Raymond Sindy, Mrs. Carney Armentrout, Mrs. H. M. Maxwell, Mrs. Guy Lang, Mrs. Will Wilson, Mrs. J. M. Harman, Mrs. R. S. McNeill, Mrs. Jack Baker, Mrs. H. M. Calhoun, Mrs. Russell Arbogast, Mrs. M. A. Bean, Mrs. A. E. Friddle, Mrs. Clyde Friddle and Mrs. C. B. Bishoff.

Lonaconing GOP Club Arranges Three Dances

LONACONING—The Lonaconing Republican Club is planning three dances during the holiday season.

On Saturday night a dance will be held from 9 p.m. until midnight with music by Ed and Bill. They also will play for a dance on New Year's Eve. The dance will begin at 9 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Rhythm will play for a dance on New Year's Day from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m.

Gary Schiller Is Home For Holidays

WESTERNPORT—Gary Schiller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Schiller of here, returned Sunday to spend the Christmas holidays.

Gary is a senior at the University of Wisconsin, where he is majoring in geology.

Homemakers To Meet

PIEDMONT — The monthly meeting of the Westernport Homemakers Club will be held Friday at 7:30 p. m. in Trinity Methodist Church. Hostesses will be Mrs. William Simpson, Mrs. Blossom Gregg, Mrs. Harry Harris and Mrs. William Dawson.

Serves Aboard Leyte

KEYSER—Samuel H. Spitzer, seaman, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel H. Spitzer Sr., Limestone Road, is serving aboard the anti-submarine aircraft carrier USS Leyte, operating with the U. S. Atlantic Fleet.

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Hampshire Co. Growers Favor Sales Agency Plan

ROMNEY — The Hampshire County Fruit Growers Association has voted unanimous approval of recent action taken by orchardists of Berkeley and Jefferson counties toward the establishment of an agency to handle sales of apples to processors. It would be a cooperative type of organization—necessary to comply with federal laws—and would be known as a "bargaining association" chartered under West Virginia statutes. Virginia has a similar setup known as Virginia Fruit Marketers Co-op., Inc. It is proposed that each of the four Appalachian area apple-producing states will organize likewise and then merge into an interstate federation, at which level the actual "bargaining" with processors will occur. Expanding the idea further, the plan is for the Appalachian group to cooperate with York State and Michigan growers in working out fair and equitable prices for canning apples.

It is planned to have details developed to the point of signing up growers by the time the West Virginia State Horticultural Society Convention is held in Martinsburg in February, 1959, so that the bargaining association can become a reality in apple time to handle next season's crop.

Basically, the contract between the bargaining association and the grower calls for 10 per cent commitment on processing apples with no "part-way" deals permitted, although a 10 per cent leeway, more or less is allowed.

As soon as 40 to 50 per cent of the total processing tonnage is lined up, the new organization will become operative. It is hoped that a far greater volume can be contracted in order that the bargaining association will have more effective status when they sit down to talk with the canners. The cost of the association's service is to be defrayed by the deduction of a maximum, under forseeable circumstances, of one per cent of the gross price paid by the processors. There will be penalties on both sides of the fence, according to proposals, with the canners bound to pay the bargaining association members the maximum paid to the "rugged individuals" who do not join up. Growers will be liable to lawsuit if they fail to deliver commitments

Fox Eradication Contest Extended

MOOREFIELD, W. Va. — The Bean Settlement Ruritan Club has extended the fox eradication contest to April 1 to enable trappers to have more time to kill the varmints. This extension on the contest was announced last week by Winfred Park, one of the club officials.

The fox killing contest started last year as a means of eradicating rabid foxes in the county which were endangering livestock and poultry and endangering school children. The contest was extended once before.

A first prize of $100 will be given to the person killing the most foxes in the county, by any means. A second prize will be given of $50, a third of $25 and ten of $10. Prizes will also be given for the oldest person bagging a fox and to the youngest person making a kill.

Contest rules are simple, kill a fox and check it with Williams Service Station at Moorefield, Criders Store at Fabius, Bowman's Store at Needmore, Chris See's Station at Wardensville, or Stanley See's Station at Mathias. The dead animals may be checked with Conservation Officer Bart Townsend in Moorefield or Conservation Officer Al Lewis at Wardensville.

Ruritan Club officials said that not enough entries had been received to date to justify ending the contest on January 1 as scheduled.

Westernport Man Takes Army Course

WESTERNPORT—Major Louis E. Hicks will be graduated from the U. S. Army Command and General Staff College at Fort Leavenworth, Kan., Friday.

Major Hicks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis E. Hicks, 314 Maryland Avenue, completed the Army War College associate course.

A graduate of George Washington University, Washington, Class of 1941, he will return to Keesler Air Force Base, Miss., where he is an instructor at the USAF Air-Ground Operations School.

He and his wife, the former Mrs. B. Frances Harris, Monroe, N. C., have one daughter, Nancy Harris, 7.

Shepherd College To Register Students

SHEPHERDSTOWN, W. Va. — Registration for the second semester at Shepherd College will be held on Tuesday, January 27, with registration for night classes to be held the following evening, Wednesday, January 28, it was pointed out yesterday by the office of the registrar.

Veterans and others who wish to enter college for the first time may do so at the beginning of the second semester, as a full schedule of entering freshman courses is taught, it was stressed. Shepherd has full facilities for both entering freshmen and transfer students, but prospective students should make arrangements with the office of the registrar before the actual day of registration in order to expedite matters pertaining to admission and registration, A. P. Rizer, Shepherd registrar, stated.

A night schedule of nine classes will be held at the college on Wednesday evenings. Such courses carry full college credit and are counted as resident credit.

In addition to the night schedule there are 180 courses listed in the spring schedule, ranging from the beginning courses for entering freshmen to advanced classes in each of the divisions which might interest adults and college graduates. Such courses as business writing, oil painting, mythology, U. S. foreign policy, constitutional law, private music lessons, and various classes in literature, psychology, sciences, and business might be attractive to adults in the area.

Any person who wishes additional information about the schedule and possible enrollment procedure should get in touch with A. P. Rider, Shepherd College registrar. His office in Knutti Hall is open from 8 a.m. to 4:30 each day except Saturday when it closes at noon. Mr. Rider said that it was particularly important that veterans and beginning freshmen make their arrangements as soon as possible.

Ellerslie Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Stuby and daughters, Nashville, Tenn., are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stuby, over the Christmas holidays.

Pvt. Albert Bingham, Fort Knox, Ky., is visiting his father, Herman Bingham.

John E. DeVore is ill at his home.

Mrs. Mary Airesman and Mrs. Emma Lowery are patients in Memorial Hospital.

Frank Hansrote, Norfolk, Va., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hansrote.

Mr. and Mrs. David Burkett, Arlington, Va., returned home after visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Saeler and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Burkett.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Creasap and son, Martinsburg, W. Va., visited her father, Charles Beal and brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cooper.

Lt. and Mrs. Richard Lowery and daughter, Fort Dix, N. J., are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alden Lowery.

Women Entertained At Luncheon

MOOREFIELD, W. Va. — Mrs. A. C. Ludwick, Jr., and Mrs. Richard Troughton entertained with a luncheon at the Ludwick home Wednesday, December 17.

Guests were Mrs. Raymond Sindy, Mrs. Carney Armentrout, Mrs. H. M. Maxwell, Mrs. Guy Lang, Mrs. Will Wilson, Mrs. J. M. Harman, Mrs. R. S. McNeill, Mrs. Jack Baker, Mrs. H. M. Calhoun, Mrs. Russell Arbogast, Mrs. M. A. Bean, Mrs. A. E. Friddle, Mrs. Clyde Friddle and Mrs. C. B. Bishoff.

Lonaconing GOP Club Arranges Three Dances

LONACONING—The Lonaconing Republican Club is planning three dances during the holiday season.

On Saturday night a dance will be held from 9 p.m. until midnight with music by Ed and Bill. They also will play for a dance on New Year's Eve. The dance will begin at 9 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Rhythm will play for a dance on New Year's Day from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m.

Gary Schiller Is Home For Holidays

WESTERNPORT—Gary Schiller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Schiller of here, returned Sunday to spend the Christmas holidays.

Gary is a senior at the University of Wisconsin, where he is majoring in geology.

Homemakers To Meet

PIEDMONT — The monthly meeting of the Westernport Homemakers Club will be held Friday at 7:30 p. m. in Trinity Methodist Church. Hostesses will be Mrs. William Simpson, Mrs. Blossom Gregg, Mrs. Harry Harris and Mrs. William Dawson.

Serves Aboard Leyte

KEYSER—Samuel H. Spitzer, seaman, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel H. Spitzer Sr., Limestone Road, is serving aboard the anti-submarine aircraft carrier USS Leyte, operating with the U. S. Atlantic Fleet.

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Cincinnati Favored To Capture Dixie Cage Tourney

May Be First "Outsiders" To Win Event

Also Vying For Title Are Michigan State, North Carolina State

RALEIGH, N. C. (UPI) — Top-ranked Cincinnati, powered by the wizardry of Oscar Robertson, is the shaky favorite to become the first "outside" team to win the tough Dixie basketball classic.

And should the Bearcats emerge victorious in the tournament beginning Dec. 29, few will dispute their position at the top of the United Press International rankings.

Vying for the championship with Cincinnati, undefeated in five games, are fourth-ranked Michigan State (4-0), fifth-ranked North Carolina (5 - 0), the defending champion, and sixth-ranked North Carolina State (6-1).

The other four teams in the tournament, while not boasting high rankings, have turned in impressive performances and are not to be taken lightly.

Wake Forest and Duke are the host teams, with North Carolina and North Carolina State the other Atlantic Coast Conference representatives. The Deacons are 3-3 for the year and Duke is 2-4. Yale and Louisville complete the field. The Elis have won two while losing three, and Louisville is 3-4.

Advance ticket sales have been the heaviest since the tournament began in 1949 and indicate the largest crowd ever.

The attendance record for the three-day holiday affair is 71,200 and was established in 1956. This year's tourney may hit the capacity mark of 74,400 for each of the six sessions.

First round pairings pit Wake Forest against Cincinnati; North Carolina State vs. Louisville; Duke vs. Michigan State, and North Carolina vs. Yale.

READY TO RAMBLE—The Baltimore Colts, winner of the Western conference division of the National Football league, are ready for the playoff game, headed by these stars. Fullback Alan Ameche finished second to Jimmy Brown in ground gaining, quarterback Johnny Unitas led the league in touchdown passes, end Ray Berry made nine touchdowns on passes and halfback Lenny Moore finished third in scoring. The Colts are coached by Weeb Ewbank. *(Central Press)*

Bowl Game To Be Viewed From Blimp

NEW YORK (AP)—The Columbia Broadcasting System reached high Wednesday to claim a firt in football bowl coverage. The network plans to use a blimp for some of the television coverage of the Orange Bowl game in Miami New Year's Day between Oklahoma and Syracuse.

Catholic Youth League Standings

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Michael's	3	0	1.000
SS. Peter & Paul	3	0	1.000
St. Ambrose	2	1	.667
St. Mary's	1	2	.333
St. Patrick's	0	3	.000
St. Peter's	0	3	.000

Roommate Wedding

RALEIGH, N. C. (AP)—Roommates Whitey Bell and Dan Englehardt, members of North Carolina State's basketball team, have married roommates. Whitey married Nancy Futch of Carolina Beach and Dan was wed to Joyce Washington of Fuquay Springs. The athletes had been doubledating the girls for the past two years.

Two New Coaches

CINCINNATI (AP) — The Cincinnati Redlegs will have two new coaches working with new manager Mayo Smith next season. They are former pitcher Clyde King and former outfielder Wally Moses. Smith had Moses as a coach with Philadelphia last season.

Two-Sport Coach

BOULDER, Colo. (AP) — Dan Stavely, Washington State College football assistant for nine years, has been named freshman football coach and wrestling coach at the University of Colorado. He succeeds Ray Jenkins, who resigned to become head football coach at Montana State University.

Today's SPORTEST

By FRANK WATSON
Central Press Sports Writer

QUESTIONS

1—Who is the current light heavyweight boxing champion?

2—In what does one "follow the bangtails"?

3—A hook can be found in boxing, bowling and golf. True or false?

HOOHEE?

HE is the quarterback who makes this season's Oklahoma football team go. One of the more underated players in the nation, he's a good runner-passer. He was dropped from the team before the Orange Bowl because of low grades.

ANSWERS

(Hoohee: David Baker).
1—Archie Moore.
2—Horse racing.
3—True.

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Stu Miller Wins E.R.A. Title In N.L.

Giants Hurler Allowed 50 Runs

NEW YORK (UPI)—Laugh all you like about that "junk" Stu Miller tosses up to the plate, but the official National League pitching averages revealed Tuesday that the San Francisco righthander managed to win the earned run title with it.

Miller, who had a 6-9 record with the Giants, gave up only 50 earned runs in 182 innings for a 2.47 earned run average.

Outside of the ERA department, southpaw Warren Spahn of Milwaukee walked off with practically all the other pitching honors.

Spahn won 22 games and lost 11. That made him the only left-handed pitcher ever to win 20 or more games in nine different seasons.

Spahn tied teammate Lew Burdette (20-10) for the highest percentage in the league, .667, and also tied Bob Friend of the Pirates for the highest victory total.

Jones Strikeout Champ

In addition, the 37-year-old Milwaukee lefthander hurled the most complete games, 23, the most innings, 290, and faced the most batters, 1,176. Spahn's 3.07 earned run average was the fourth highest.

Sam Jones of the Cardinals had the league's second best earned run mark, 2.88. Jones won 14 games and lost 13 and wound up as the strikeout champ by fanning 225. He also walked the most batters, 107.

Friend made the most starts, 38, and rookie Carlton Willey of the Braves was high man in shutouts with four.

Southpaw Johnny Antonelli of the Giants and righthander Don Newcombe of the Redlegs shared the "gopher ball" title. Each was nicked for 31 homers.

Witt Had Best Streak

The longest winning streak in the league was seven games and it was turned in by Pirate rookie George Witt, who finished with a 9-2 record and a glittering 1.61 earned run average. Witt was not eligible for the ERA title because he did not pitch in at least 154 innings. Witt hurled only 106 frames and yielded only 19 earned runs.

Brooks Lawrence of Cincinnati suffered through the longest losing streak, nine games, en route to an 8-13 season.

Reliever Don Elston of the Cubs qualified as the league's workhorse by appearing in 69 games.

Undoubtedly the best comeback in the league was staged by Robin Roberts of the Phillies, who slumped to a 10 - 22 record in 1957. Roberts won 17 and lost 14 this year and his earned run mark of 3.23 was fifth best in the league.

In the team averages, Milwaukee's pitching staff was the best with an earned run mark of 3.21. Pittsburgh was second with 3.56; Cincinnati third with 3.73; San Francisco fourth with 3.98; St. Louis fifth with 4.12; Chicago sixth with 4.22; Philadelphia seventh with 4.32, and Los Angeles last — oh that left field screen—with 4.47.

One More To Go

Racing fans recall Eddie Arcaro pulling up Blue Hills in a distance race at Pimlico with one more lap to go. A few years ago at Pomona, a half-mile track in California, five of the eight jockeys in a two-mile race pulled up their horses after three laps thinking the race was over.

Stokes' Illness Was One Of Top Pro Basketball League's Stories

Loss Jeopardized Cincinnati Franchise

By NORMAN MILLER

NEW YORK (UPI) —A tragedy that befell a star athlete commanded as much attention as any playing achievements in the professional National Basketball Association during 1958.

Maurice Stokes, 25-year-old Cincinnati Royals all-star forward, was stricken with traumatic encephalitis during the league playoffs last March 15 and probably never will play again. His loss robbed the NBA of one of its most glamorous stars and left the Cincinnati franchise in jeopardy.

In the two most significant competitive achievements of the year, the St. Louis Hawks dethroned the Boston Celtics as league champions and forward George Yardley of the Detroit Pistons became the first player ever to score more than 2,000 points in a season.

There was little job security for coaches in pro basketball. Three clubs had new coaches when the 1958-59 season began, and before the campaign was two months old, two players were elevated from the ranks to coaching jobs.

The strangest coaching shifts occurred in St. Louis, where volatile owner Ben Kerner made two changes after his Hawks won the world championship. Alex Hannum, who had numberous run-ins with Kerner despite the success of the club, quit after the Hawks' thrilling playoff victory.

Phillip Gets Fired

Andy Phillip, a star player in the NBA for 11 seasons, was named to replace Hannum, but was fired after the first few weeks of the season because Kerner thought the team "looked bad even while winning." Ed Macauley, a hometown hero and long one of the NBA's high scorers, was picked to replace Phillip.

It took the Hawks three seasons to climax a surge from last place in the Western Division of the league to the championship. And even so, they might not have made it if Bill Russell, Boston's six-foot-10 defensive marvel, had not been hampered by an ankle injury which kept him out of most of the last four playoff games.

Throughout the final playoff series, Bob Pettit was the Hawks' standout. In the final game, he scored a playoff record 50 points, including the Hawks' last 21.

Besides St. Louis, there was another early - season coaching change at Cincinnati, where the club floundered badly without Stokes. Bobby Wanzer was fired and Tom Marshall, a so-so player, took over. The Royals won only six of their first 27 games and attendance was so poor that there was some question whether the franchise could remain in Cincinnati.

Yardley Tops Scorers

Yardley, balding 29-year-old Californian, won the individual scoring championship with an average of 27.8 points per game. He broke George Mikan's single-season record of 1,932 with a 49-point performance against Minneapolis on March 6. Yardley went over the 2,000 mark by a single point when he scored 26 against Syracuse in the final game of the regular season.

Jack Twyman of Cincinnati was the league's best field goal shooter with a .452 percentage: Dolph Schayes of Syracuse was tops in free throw shooting with a .904 percentage; Bob Cousy of Boston again led in assists with an average of 7.1 per game; and Russell was the No. 1 rebounder with an average of 22.7 per game.

In addition to Phillip, the new coaches at the start of the season were Al Cervi, who took over at Philadelphia after a two - year "vacation" from pro basketball, and Fuzzy Levane at New York.

At year's end, the Celtics and the Hawks once again were leading the division races and appeared headed for a third straight meeting in the final playoffs.

Round Robin Golf

SUMMIT, N. J. (AP)—The Triangle Round Robin golf tournament for women has been set for next June 3-7 at the Canoe Brook Country Club. The event is being sponsored by the American Women's Voluntary Services with Mrs. John Farrell as chairman.

Fur, Fin and Campfire

By JACK SORDS

European Sports Events Swept By Visiting Athletes

U.S., Australian, Brazil Stars Win

By PETER UEBERSAX

FRANKFURT, West Germany (UPI) —Herb Elliott, Australian mile star, led overseas athletes in a sweep of major European sports honors this year.

Europeans were outrun and outplayed in almost every major sports competition. But sports lovers on the continent hardly minded because the foreign invasion produced some wonderful feats.

Elliott, the Brazilian soccer team, decathlon champion Rafer Johnson of UCLA, Australia's swimming "Konrad kids" and a galaxy of other visiting athletes wrote sports history. And the great thing for Europeans was that they did over here.

The feat of the European sports year was Elliott's 3:54.5 mile Aug. 6 at Dublin's Santry Track. But it was only the first part of a 1-2 punch by the lanky 20-year - old Aussie.

For on Aug. 28, at Gothenburg, Sweden, Elliott ran way from a field of "under four minutes" milers. He clocked a fabulous 3:36.0 record for the 1,500 meters — the equivalent of a 3:53.0 mile.

The Brazilian soccer team captured the World Cup in Sweden with plays that were so dazzling that the usually cool Swedish crowds roared with laughter at the helplessness of some of Brazil's opponents.

Russians Cheer Johnson

And there was Johnson, the outstanding member of the U.S. track team which toured Iron Curtain countries last summer. His record-smashing 8,302 points for the decathlon had 50,000 Moscow fans cheering an American while the Russian government was blasting the United States for sending Marines into Lebanon.

Elliott wasn't the only Aussie to thrill Europeans in 1958.

The Australian amateur golf team won the Eisenhower Cup, Peter Thompson the British Open golf title, Ashley Cooper won the Wimbledon men's singles title and Stuart Mackenzie captured the European sculls crown. Dawn Fraser, Ilse and John Konrads splashed through Cardiff's Empire Pool for a near-sweep of British Empire titles as Australians gave the finest swimming exhibition ever seen in Europe.

Against such opposition, European athletes had little chance But they could also claim that the foreign invasion came at the wrong time—in a year that was marked by the loss of some of Europe's greatest champions.

Many retired, including Russia's Vladimir Kuts, who had succeeded Emil Zatopek as the "king of the distance runners." Others, like Austrian skiing star Toni Sailer, got into trouble over their amateur status. Others, such as Russia's brilliant, 21-year-old soccer center - forward, Edward Streltsov, got caught in the house-cleaning that followed a series of defeats for Russia's athletes.

Death Stops Careers

Death, too, stopped many careers. Britain's Manchester United Club, Europe's most famous soccer team, was almost wiped out in an air crash. Peter Collins, Luigi Musso and Peter Whitehead headed a long list of famed drivers killed in auto racing mishaps.

The deaths of Collins and Musso cleared the way for one of the most thrilling sports battles of the year—the duel between Mike Hawthorn and Stirling Moss for the world driving championship.

With only the two Britons left of the once large number of top-flight drivers, each race of the championship circuit developed into a battle between them. In the end, the world title vacated by Juan Manuel Fangio went to Hawthorn by the narrow margin of one point.

Other notable athletic feats performed in Europe or by Europeans in 1958:

—Althea Gibson of New York, first Negro to win a coveted Wimbledon tennis title, captured the women's crown for the second straight year.

—Ingemar Johnsson of Sweden knocking out top - rated heavyweight challenger Eddie Machen in Gothenburg, heralding a European comeback in boxing which will produce some interesting fights next year.

Coast Guard Post Open To Brennan

NEW LONDON, Conn. (AP) — The Coast Guard Academy athletic director said he has telephoned Terry Brennan that the academy football coaching job is open.

"I did not offer him the position," said John H. Forney, "but I did tell him we had a vacancy."

Forney said Brennan, ousted this week as head football coach at Notre Dame, was "most cordial (but) noncommittal."

Akins, Jordan Meet March 6

ST. LOUIS (AP)—Virgil Akins, who lost the welterweight boxing crown to Don Jordan in his first title defense, will get a chance to regain the title in a rematch with Jordan March 6 in the St. Louis Arena, Akins' co-manager announced.

Quiet Christmas

BRISBANE (AP) — The United States Davis Cup team planned to spend a quiet Christmas in the sub-tropical Queensland heat Thursday.

Captain Perry Jones ordered Christmas dinner at a hotel after a day's practice for the Challenge Round opening Monday.

NEW COACH?—Henry Fonde, 33, highly successful Ann Arbor, Mich., High School football coach and former Michigan star back, may become the University of Michigan's new backfield mentor.

(AP Photofax)

Five Lettermen

EAST LANSING, Mich. (AP)—Michigan State's basketball team boasts five lettermen on its present team. They are Lance Olsen and Tom Rand of Green Bay, Wis., Bob Anderegg of Monroe, Wis., John Green of Dayton, Ohio and Jim Stouffer of Pierceton, Ind. Green, at 6-foot-5, is the tallest player. All are seniors but Olsen who is a junior.

The Sports Patrol

(Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.)
By STEVE SNIDER

NEW YORK (UPI)—The New York Giants and Baltimore Colts, who figure to be as fired up as college kids on an emotional bender, may stage the most frenzied playoff yet when they clash Sunday for the pro football championship of the world.

It could be a masterpiece—or a tragedy of errors.

They're well-matched on brains and brawn but if nerves start popping out there in Yankee Stadium Sunday afternoon, as well they might, someone will bust this game wide open.

The Giants, particularly those inspired "they - can't - beat - us" members of the defensive unit, have been riding an emotional crest for five straight weeks. The Colts, many of them at least, were so "shook up" they broke down and cried after clinching the Western crown against San Francisco Nov. 30, but that binge is over and the word is they are ready to blaze away again.

Unitas Is Quicker

Technically, New York's keyed-up defenders who throttled the Browns two straight Sundays, have a far different assignment in trying to check quarterback Johnny Unitas of the Colts than they did in man-handling the passers of the Browns.

"Unitas is much quicker," said Jim Lee Howell of the Giants. "He knows what he's doing all the time and gets the ball away even when you're sure he can't."

Thus the burly defenders like Jim Katcavage, Sam Huff, Andy Robustelli, Rosey Grier, Dick Modzelewski and Harland Svare may have to temper their fury with caution.

If they don't, Unitas can murder 'em.

For the Colts, this one is the climax of their great rags - to-riches saga, a tribute to organization, coaching by Weeb Ewbank and "rah rah" support from home town fans the like of which the pro league hasn't seen since the glory days of the Green Bay Packers.

There Were Tears

Pros they may be, but after Baltimore whacked San Francisco to clinch the division crown on the final day of November, there were plenty of unashamed tears in the dressing room.

Leading the weepers were veterans Art Donovan, Art Spinney and Gene (Big Daddy) Lipscomb.

Lenny Moore, the devastating runner who rolled 73 yards to apply the clincher against San Francisco, survived the locker room celebration in good fashion but then got unstrung and put in a little time resting in the infirmary.

The Colts blew their next two games, both on the West Coast where they always have difficulty winning. But it was apparent a letdown was present and that obviously disturbed Ewbank.

An extra week, caused by the Browns - Giants playoff, presumably gave the Colts an opportunity to recover.

If they re-wind as tight as they were, Sunday's game should be a dilly. Certainly the Giants are as high as the wide blue yonder.

MacKay Shakes Off Ills, Set For Cup Play

Buchholz May Start In Doubles Match

BRISBANE (AP)—Barry MacKay shook off the effects of a mild stomach disorder Thursday and leaped back into the fight for a varsity berth on the U.S. Davis Cup tennis team.

"I am so eager to play, nothing could keep me down," said MacKay. "I feel I am just hitting my peak. I am keen and raring to go."

MacKay's return to practice, apparently no worse for wear, was one of several developments in the U.S. camp now tuning up for the Challenge Round against the Australians next Monday through Wednesday.

The others were:

1. Jack Kramer, chief counsel for Captain Perry Jones, and pro Dinny Pails rejoined the squad and participated in an intensive two-hour workout.

2. Jones announced he was considering the use of 18-year-old Earl Buchholz as partner for Alex Almedo in the doubles.

3. The Americans asked pro champion Pancho Gonzales, holidaying nearby, to cut short his visit and help the team in the final preparations over the weekend.

MacKay became ill overnight Tuesday, apparently from food poisoning. A doctor was called and MacKay spent most of Christmas Eve in bed gulping pills, and resting.

For a while it appeared MacKay's sudden illness might solve the knotty problem for Jones, who insists he still is undecided on which two of MacKay, Richardson and Olmedo to use in the singles against Australia's Ashley Cooper and Mal Anderson.

MacKay, not nominated to face the Italians last weekend, rocketed back into the Davis Cup picture because of a question mark on Richardson, the team's No. 1 player.

Jones is concerned whether Richardson, a diabetic, can stand up to three days tennis under the sweltering Brisbane heat, and Kramer already openly has suggested that Ham be used only in the doubles.

Richardson has notified Jones in strong terms that he feels he can measure up to the task and he has virtually demanded the right to play.

Handling of machinery is top cause for most fatal accidents on American farms. Second cause for fatalities in the rural areas is drowning.

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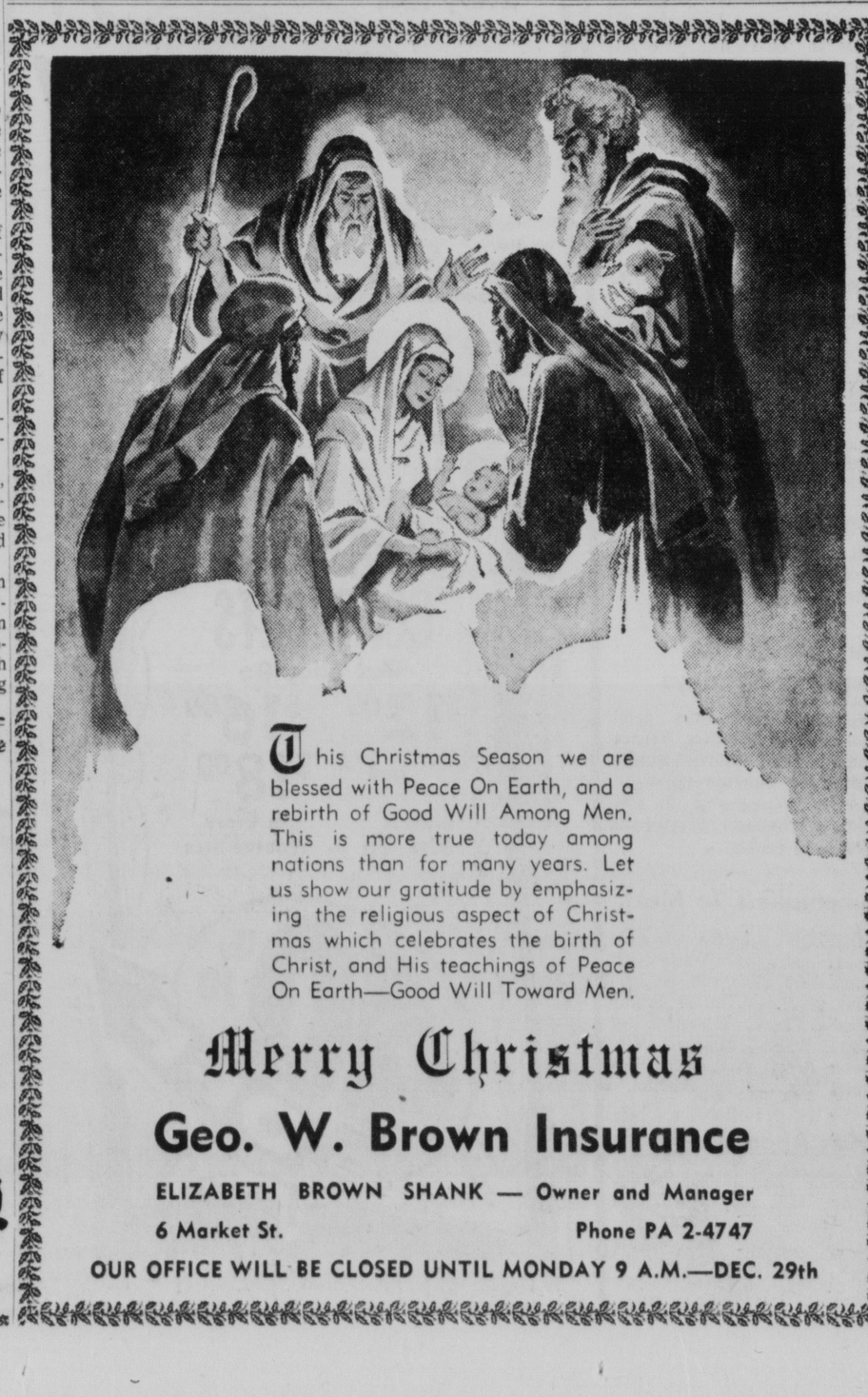

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Cincinnati Favored To Capture Dixie Cage Tourney

May Be First "Outsiders" To Win Event

Also Vying For Title Are Michigan State, North Carolina State

RALEIGH, N. C. (UPI) — Top-ranked Cincinnati, powered by the wizardry of Oscar Robertson, is the shaky favorite to become the first "outside" team to win the tough Dixie basketball classic.

And should the Bearcats emerge victorious in the tournament beginning Dec. 29, few will dispute their position at the top of the United Press International rankings.

Vying for the championship with Cincinnati, undefeated in five games, are fourth-ranked Michigan State (4-0), fifth-ranked North Carolina (5 - 0), the defending champion, and sixth-ranked North Carolina State (6-1).

The other four teams in the tournament, while not boasting high rankings, have turned in impressive performances and are not to be taken lightly.

Wake Forest and Duke are the host teams, with North Carolina and North Carolina State the other Atlantic Coast Conference representatives. The Deacons are 3-3 for the year and Duke is 2-4. Yale and Louisville complete the field. The Elis have won two while losing three, and Louisville is 3-4.

Advance ticket sales have been the heaviest since the tournament began in 1949 and indicate the largest crowd ever.

The attendance record for the three-day holiday affair is 71,200 and was established in 1956. This year's tourney may hit the capacity mark of 74,400 for each of the six sessions.

First round pairings pit Wake Forest against Cincinnati; North Carolina State vs. Louisville; Duke vs. Michigan State, and North Carolina vs. Yale.

READY TO RAMBLE—The Baltimore Colts, winner of the Western conference division of the National Football league, are ready for the playoff game, headed by these stars. Fullback Alan Ameche finished second to Jimmy Brown in ground gaining, quarterback Johnny Unitas led the league in touchdown passes, end Ray Berry made nine touchdowns on passes and halfback Lenny Moore finished third in scoring. The Colts are coached by Weeb Ewbank. *(Central Press)*

Bowl Game To Be Viewed From Blimp

NEW YORK (AP)—The Columbia Broadcasting System reached high Wednesday to claim a firt in football bowl coverage. The network plans to use a blimp for some of the television coverage of the Orange Bowl game in Miami New Year's Day between Oklahoma and Syracuse.

Catholic Youth League Standings

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Michael's	3	0	1.000
SS. Peter & Paul	3	0	1.000
St. Ambrose	2	1	.667
St. Mary's	1	2	.333
St. Patrick's	0	3	.000
St. Peter's	0	3	.000

Roommate Wedding

RALEIGH, N. C. (AP)—Roommates Whitey Bell and Dan Englehardt, members of North Carolina State's basketball team, have married roommates. Whitey married Nancy Futch of Carolina Beach and Dan was wed to Joyce Washington of Fuquay Springs. The athletes had been doubledating the girls for the past two years.

Two New Coaches

CINCINNATI (AP) — The Cincinnati Redlegs will have two new coaches working with new manager Mayo Smith next season. They are former pitcher Clyde King and former outfielder Wally Moses. Smith had Moses as a coach with Philadelphia last season.

Two-Sport Coach

BOULDER, Colo. (AP) — Dan Stavely, Washington State College football assistant for nine years, has been named freshman football coach and wrestling coach at the University of Colorado. He succeeds Ray Jenkins, who resigned to become head football coach at Montana State University.

Today's SPORTEST

By FRANK WATSON
Central Press Sports Writer

QUESTIONS

1—Who is the current light heavyweight boxing champion?

2—In what does one "follow the bangtails"?

3—A hook can be found in boxing, bowling and golf. True or false?

HOOHEE?

HE is the quarterback who makes this season's Oklahoma football team go. One of the more underated players in the nation, he's a good runner-passer. He was dropped from the team before the Orange Bowl because of low grades.

ANSWERS

(Hoohee: David Baker).
1—Archie Moore.
2—Horse racing.
3—True.

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Stu Miller Wins E.R.A. Title In N.L.

Giants Hurler Allowed 50 Runs

NEW YORK (UPI)—Laugh all you like about that "junk" Stu Miller tosses up to the plate, but the official National League pitching averages revealed Tuesday that the San Francisco righthander managed to win the earned run title with it.

Miller, who had a 6-9 record with the Giants, gave up only 50 earned runs in 182 innings for a 2.47 earned run average.

Outside of the ERA department, southpaw Warren Spahn of Milwaukee walked off with practically all the other pitching honors.

Spahn won 22 games and lost 11. That made him the only left-handed pitcher ever to win 20 or more games in nine different seasons.

Spahn tied teammate Lew Burdette (20-10) for the highest percentage in the league, .667, and also tied Bob Friend of the Pirates for the highest victory total.

Jones Strikeout Champ

In addition, the 37-year-old Milwaukee lefthander hurled the most complete games, 23, the most innings, 290, and faced the most batters, 1,176. Spahn's 3.07 earned run average was the fourth highest.

Sam Jones of the Cardinals had the league's second best earned run mark, 2.88. Jones won 14 games and lost 13 and wound up as the strikeout champ by fanning 225. He also walked the most batters, 107.

Friend made the most starts, 38, and rookie Carlton Willey of the Braves was high man in shutouts with four.

Southpaw Johnny Antonelli of the Giants and righthander Don Newcombe of the Redlegs shared the "gopher ball" title. Each was nicked for 31 homers.

Witt Had Best Streak

The longest winning streak in the league was seven games and it was turned in by Pirate rookie George Witt, who finished with a 9-2 record and a glittering 1.61 earned run average. Witt was not eligible for the ERA title because he did not pitch in at least 154 innings. Witt hurled only 106 frames and yielded only 19 earned runs.

Brooks Lawrence of Cincinnati suffered through the longest losing streak, nine games, en route to an 8-13 season.

Reliever Don Elston of the Cubs qualified as the league's workhorse by appearing in 69 games.

Undoubtedly the best comeback in the league was staged by Robin Roberts of the Phillies, who slumped to a 10 - 22 record in 1957. Roberts won 17 and lost 14 this year and his earned run mark of 3.23 was fifth best in the league.

In the team averages, Milwaukee's pitching staff was the best with an earned run mark of 3.21. Pittsburgh was second with 3.56; Cincinnati third with 3.73; San Francisco fourth with 3.98; St. Louis fifth with 4.12; Chicago sixth with 4.22; Philadelphia seventh with 4.32, and Los Angeles last — oh that left field screen—with 4.47.

One More To Go

Racing fans recall Eddie Arcaro pulling up Blue Hills in a distance race at Pimlico with one more lap to go. A few years ago at Pomona, a half-mile track in California, five of the eight jockeys in a two-mile race pulled up their horses after three laps thinking the race was over.

Stokes' Illness Was One Of Top Pro Basketball League's Stories

Loss Jeopardized Cincinnati Franchise

By NORMAN MILLER

NEW YORK (UPI) —A tragedy that befell a star athlete commanded as much attention as any playing achievements in the professional National Basketball Association during 1958.

Maurice Stokes, 25-year-old Cincinnati Royals all-star forward, was stricken with traumatic encephalitis during the league playoffs last March 15 and probably never will play again. His loss robbed the NBA of one of its most glamorous stars and left the Cincinnati franchise in jeopardy.

In the two most significant competitive achievements of the year, the St. Louis Hawks dethroned the Boston Celtics as league champions and forward George Yardley of the Detroit Pistons became the first player ever to score more than 2,000 points in a season.

There was little job security for coaches in pro basketball. Three clubs had new coaches when the 1958-59 season began, and before the campaign was two months old, two players were elevated from the ranks to coaching jobs.

The strangest coaching shifts occurred in St. Louis, where volatile owner Ben Kerner made two changes after his Hawks won the world championship. Alex Hannum, who had numberous run-ins with Kerner despite the success of the club, quit after the Hawks' thrilling playoff victory.

Phillip Gets Fired

Andy Phillip, a star player in the NBA for 11 seasons, was named to replace Hannum, but was fired after the first few weeks of the season because Kerner thought the team "looked bad even while winning." Ed Macauley, a hometown hero and long one of the NBA's high scorers, was picked to replace Phillip.

It took the Hawks three seasons to climax a surge from last place in the Western Division of the league to the championship. And even so, they might not have made it if Bill Russell, Boston's six-foot-10 defensive marvel, had not been hampered by an ankle injury which kept him out of most of the last four playoff games.

Throughout the final playoff series, Bob Pettit was the Hawks' standout. In the final game, he scored a playoff record 50 points, including the Hawks' last 21.

Besides St. Louis, there was another early - season coaching change at Cincinnati, where the club floundered badly without Stokes. Bobby Wanzer was fired and Tom Marshall, a so-so player, took over. The Royals won only six of their first 27 games and attendance was so poor that there was some question whether the franchise could remain in Cincinnati.

Yardley Tops Scorers

Yardley, balding 29-year-old Californian, won the individual scoring championship with an average of 27.8 points per game. He broke George Mikan's single-season record of 1,932 with a 49-point performance against Minneapolis on March 6. Yardley went over the 2,000 mark by a single point when he scored 26 against Syracuse in the final game of the regular season.

Jack Twyman of Cincinnati was the league's best field goal shooter with a .452 percentage: Dolph Schayes of Syracuse was tops in free throw shooting with a .904 percentage; Bob Cousy of Boston again led in assists with an average of 7.1 per game; and Russell was the No. 1 rebounder with an average of 22.7 per game.

In addition to Phillip, the new coaches at the start of the season were Al Cervi, who took over at Philadelphia after a two - year "vacation" from pro basketball, and Fuzzy Levane at New York.

At year's end, the Celtics and the Hawks once again were leading the division races and appeared headed for a third straight meeting in the final playoffs.

Round Robin Golf

SUMMIT, N. J. (AP)—The Triangle Round Robin golf tournament for women has been set for next June 3-7 at the Canoe Brook Country Club. The event is being sponsored by the American Women's Voluntary Services with Mrs. John Farrell as chairman.

Fur, Fin and Campfire

By JACK SORDS

European Sports Events Swept By Visiting Athletes

U.S., Australian, Brazil Stars Win

By PETER UEBERSAX

FRANKFURT, West Germany (UPI) —Herb Elliott, Australian mile star, led overseas athletes in a sweep of major European sports honors this year.

Europeans were outrun and outplayed in almost every major sports competition. But sports lovers on the continent hardly minded because the foreign invasion produced some wonderful feats.

Elliott, the Brazilian soccer team, decathlon champion Rafer Johnson of UCLA, Australia's swimming "Konrad kids" and a galaxy of other visiting athletes wrote sports history. And the great thing for Europeans was that they did over here.

The feat of the European sports year was Elliott's 3:54.5 mile Aug. 6 at Dublin's Santry Track. But it was only the first part of a 1-2 punch by the lanky 20-year - old Aussie.

For on Aug. 28, at Gothenburg, Sweden, Elliott ran way from a field of "under four minutes" milers. He clocked a fabulous 3:36.0 record for the 1,500 meters — the equivalent of a 3:53.0 mile.

The Brazilian soccer team captured the World Cup in Sweden with plays that were so dazzling that the usually cool Swedish crowds roared with laughter at the helplessness of some of Brazil's opponents.

Russians Cheer Johnson

And there was Johnson, the outstanding member of the U.S. track team which toured Iron Curtain countries last summer. His record-smashing 8,302 points for the decathlon had 50,000 Moscow fans cheering an American while the Russian government was blasting the United States for sending Marines into Lebanon.

Elliott wasn't the only Aussie to thrill Europeans in 1958.

The Australian amateur golf team won the Eisenhower Cup, Peter Thompson the British Open golf title, Ashley Cooper won the Wimbledon men's singles title and Stuart Mackenzie captured the European sculls crown. Dawn Fraser, Ilse and John Konrads splashed through Cardiff's Empire Pool for a near-sweep of British Empire titles as Australians gave the finest swimming exhibition ever seen in Europe.

Against such opposition, European athletes had little chance But they could also claim that the foreign invasion came at the wrong time—in a year that was marked by the loss of some of Europe's greatest champions.

Many retired, including Russia's Vladimir Kuts, who had succeeded Emil Zatopek as the "king of the distance runners." Others, like Austrian skiing star Toni Sailer, got into trouble over their amateur status. Others, such as Russia's brilliant, 21-year-old soccer center - forward, Edward Streltsov, got caught in the house-cleaning that followed a series of defeats for Russia's athletes.

Death Stops Careers

Death, too, stopped many careers. Britain's Manchester United Club, Europe's most famous soccer team, was almost wiped out in an air crash. Peter Collins, Luigi Musso and Peter Whitehead headed a long list of famed drivers killed in auto racing mishaps.

The deaths of Collins and Musso cleared the way for one of the most thrilling sports battles of the year—the duel between Mike Hawthorn and Stirling Moss for the world driving championship.

With only the two Britons left of the once large number of top-flight drivers, each race of the championship circuit developed into a battle between them. In the end, the world title vacated by Juan Manuel Fangio went to Hawthorn by the narrow margin of one point.

Other notable athletic feats performed in Europe or by Europeans in 1958:

—Althea Gibson of New York, first Negro to win a coveted Wimbledon tennis title, captured the women's crown for the second straight year.

—Ingemar Johnsson of Sweden knocking out top - rated heavyweight challenger Eddie Machen in Gothenburg, heralding a European comeback in boxing which will produce some interesting fights next year.

Coast Guard Post Open To Brennan

NEW LONDON, Conn. (AP) — The Coast Guard Academy athletic director said he has telephoned Terry Brennan that the academy football coaching job is open.

"I did not offer him the position," said John H. Forney, "but I did tell him we had a vacancy."

Forney said Brennan, ousted this week as head football coach at Notre Dame, was "most cordial (but) noncommittal."

Akins, Jordan Meet March 6

ST. LOUIS (AP)—Virgil Akins, who lost the welterweight boxing crown to Don Jordan in his first title defense, will get a chance to regain the title in a rematch with Jordan March 6 in the St. Louis Arena, Akins' co-manager announced.

Quiet Christmas

BRISBANE (AP) — The United States Davis Cup team planned to spend a quiet Christmas in the sub-tropical Queensland heat Thursday.

Captain Perry Jones ordered Christmas dinner at a hotel after a day's practice for the Challenge Round opening Monday.

NEW COACH?—Henry Fonde, 33, highly successful Ann Arbor, Mich., High School football coach and former Michigan star back, may become the University of Michigan's new backfield mentor.

(AP Photofax)

Five Lettermen

EAST LANSING, Mich. (AP)—Michigan State's basketball team boasts five lettermen on its present team. They are Lance Olsen and Tom Rand of Green Bay, Wis., Bob Anderegg of Monroe, Wis., John Green of Dayton, Ohio and Jim Stouffer of Pierceton, Ind. Green, at 6-foot-5, is the tallest player. All are seniors but Olsen who is a junior.

The Sports Patrol

(Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.)
By STEVE SNIDER

NEW YORK (UPI)—The New York Giants and Baltimore Colts, who figure to be as fired up as college kids on an emotional bender, may stage the most frenzied playoff yet when they clash Sunday for the pro football championship of the world.

It could be a masterpiece—or a tragedy of errors.

They're well-matched on brains and brawn but if nerves start popping out there in Yankee Stadium Sunday afternoon, as well they might, someone will bust this game wide open.

The Giants, particularly those inspired "they - can't - beat - us" members of the defensive unit, have been riding an emotional crest for five straight weeks. The Colts, many of them at least, were so "shook up" they broke down and cried after clinching the Western crown against San Francisco Nov. 30, but that binge is over and the word is they are ready to blaze away again.

Unitas Is Quicker

Technically, New York's keyed-up defenders who throttled the Browns two straight Sundays, have a far different assignment in trying to check quarterback Johnny Unitas of the Colts than they did in man-handling the passers of the Browns.

"Unitas is much quicker," said Jim Lee Howell of the Giants. "He knows what he's doing all the time and gets the ball away even when you're sure he can't."

Thus the burly defenders like Jim Katcavage, Sam Huff, Andy Robustelli, Rosey Grier, Dick Modzelewski and Harland Svare may have to temper their fury with caution.

If they don't, Unitas can murder 'em.

For the Colts, this one is the climax of their great rags - to-riches saga, a tribute to organization, coaching by Weeb Ewbank and "rah rah" support from home town fans the like of which the pro league hasn't seen since the glory days of the Green Bay Packers.

There Were Tears

Pros they may be, but after Baltimore whacked San Francisco to clinch the division crown on the final day of November, there were plenty of unashamed tears in the dressing room.

Leading the weepers were veterans Art Donovan, Art Spinney and Gene (Big Daddy) Lipscomb.

Lenny Moore, the devastating runner who rolled 73 yards to apply the clincher against San Francisco, survived the locker room celebration in good fashion but then got unstrung and put in a little time resting in the infirmary.

The Colts blew their next two games, both on the West Coast where they always have difficulty winning. But it was apparent a letdown was present and that obviously disturbed Ewbank.

An extra week, caused by the Browns - Giants playoff, presumably gave the Colts an opportunity to recover.

If they re-wind as tight as they were, Sunday's game should be a dilly. Certainly the Giants are as high as the wide blue yonder.

MacKay Shakes Off Ills, Set For Cup Play

Buchholz May Start In Doubles Match

BRISBANE (AP)—Barry MacKay shook off the effects of a mild stomach disorder Thursday and leaped back into the fight for a varsity berth on the U.S. Davis Cup tennis team.

"I am so eager to play, nothing could keep me down," said MacKay. "I feel I am just hitting my peak. I am keen and raring to go."

MacKay's return to practice, apparently no worse for wear, was one of several developments in the U.S. camp now tuning up for the Challenge Round against the Australians next Monday through Wednesday.

The others were:

1. Jack Kramer, chief counsel for Captain Perry Jones, and pro Dinny Pails rejoined the squad and participated in an intensive two-hour workout.

2. Jones announced he was considering the use of 18-year-old Earl Buchholz as partner for Alex Almedo in the doubles.

3. The Americans asked pro champion Pancho Gonzales, holidaying nearby, to cut short his visit and help the team in the final preparations over the weekend.

MacKay became ill overnight Tuesday, apparently from food poisoning. A doctor was called and MacKay spent most of Christmas Eve in bed gulping pills, and resting.

For a while it appeared MacKay's sudden illness might solve the knotty problem for Jones, who insists he still is undecided on which two of MacKay, Richardson and Olmedo to use in the singles against Australia's Ashley Cooper and Mal Anderson.

MacKay, not nominated to face the Italians last weekend, rocketed back into the Davis Cup picture because of a question mark on Richardson, the team's No. 1 player.

Jones is concerned whether Richardson, a diabetic, can stand up to three days tennis under the sweltering Brisbane heat, and Kramer already openly has suggested that Ham be used only in the doubles.

Richardson has notified Jones in strong terms that he feels he can measure up to the task and he has virtually demanded the right to play.

Handling of machinery is top cause for most fatal accidents on American farms. Second cause for fatalities in the rural areas is drowning.

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Trautman Calls Stabilization Baseball Key

Closer Cooperation Noted From Majors

By GEORGE M. TRAUTMAN
President, National Association Professional Baseball Leagues

COLUMBUS, Ohio (UPI)—Stabilization is the key word for baseball in the National Association for 1959.

The men who sow the seeds to produce "grass roots" baseball throughout the broad land, are not yet in green pastures, but there is definite reason to believe they will have fewer weeds to contend with in the year to come.

One thing I have noted with great encouragement is evidence of closer cooperation from our big brothers in the major league. At our recent annual meetings in Washington, D.C., all baseball legislation that was adopted by National Association clubs also was passed by the major leagues. I came away with the feeling there was a closer bond—which is as it should be since we are all in the same family.

From every sector, even though the opening of the 1959 season is more than four months away, we are getting encouraging reports on advance ticket sales. Whole communities are working together to "sell" and therefore preserve baseball in a way that makes me feel we're in for better days ahead.

Notes Good Sign

There are other good signs. Fence advertising signs to be specific. For the first time in the history of the minors, efforts are being made to sell some of the attractive displays on our outfield fences to national advertisers. If this program is accomplished, not only will valuable additional revenue accrue to our clubs, but the advertisers involved will be reaching "grass roots" markets in a most effective and economical manner.

Of course, our clubs and leagues are continuing to sell their advertising displays at the local level and they are busily engaged also in an intensified promotional program. All clubs are planning special occasions at their parks during the coming season which will make a day or night at the ball game more enjoyable than ever to our legion of loyal fans.

Legislation Should Help

There were other significant developments at the baseball meetings. I am sure fans everywhere will be awaiting eagerly the start of a new season wherein there will be new cities and new rivalries as the result of re-alignments. There was legislation enacted that should be of long range benefit to our clubs in the A, B, C, and D classifications. Working agreements with major league clubs have been improved and this should help in the field of player development and in the stabilization of these "little fellows" in our family.

The new first year draft regulation, which might be termed a "noble experiment", is something that will be watched with great interest. The rule provides that free agent players without previous professional experience will be subject to the annual player draft, provided they are not brought up to the major league club that owns their contracts.

Since there is a limit of 40 players who can be under control by the major league club, this should tend to diminish the flow of vast "bonus" money that went out to untried kids. This will in no way reduce the opportunity of the truly exceptional young players who will continue to get as much money for signing contracts as the market allows. They still will have an incentive for advancement and can earn as much as their ability warrants.

All in all, it looks like a brighter year ahead for all of baseball.

Tropical Park Pays Pair Of Daily Doubles

Regulation Payoff Is $642 Yule Gift

MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 24 (AP)—Late withdrawal of Otomana from the second race necessitated two daily double payoffs today at Tropical Park.

Bettors who coupled Summer Storm, $97.60 outsider in the first, with Otomana received a $46.50 consolation payoff. The regulation double of Summer Storm and Concord, $18.50 winner in the second, collected a $642.70 Christmas present.

Summer Storm forced the pace into the stretch and outfinished Melody Magic by one length in 1:13 for six furlongs. Farotol lasted for third money. John Block rode the upsetter.

Concord looped the early leaders on the stretch turn and wore down Kildee in the final sixteenth to prevail by three quarters of a length. Risk again took show.

Ronnie Fairholm guided Concord to a 1:11 3/5 effort for three quarters.

SYRACUSE, N. Y. (AP)—"He is the best interior lineman we have been fortunate enough to have in my 10 years here," says Syracuse football coach Ben Schwartzwalder of Ron Luciano, 235-pound tackle from Endicott, N. Y.

Coach And Team Records For New Year's Day Bowl Games

4 All-Americas In Bowl Games

BY FRANK ECK
AP Newsfeatures Sports Editor

Each of the four major bowl games on New Year's Day means a chance to view an All-America player in action and a chance for four coaches to become bowl winners for the first time.

Louisiana State's appearance against Clemson in the Sugar Bowl at New Orleans features All-America Billy Cannon, the 6-foot-1 back who can do just about everything on a football field.

LSU also has in Paul Dietzel a coach who came from obscurity to lead his Tigers to No. 1 rating in the nation and himself became the coach of the year.

LSU is the only unbeaten and untied team in a major bowl game and naturally will be favored over a Clemson team that was trimmed by South Carolina and blanked by Georgia Tech.

The U. S. Air Force Academy eleven, the only other unbeaten major bowl team, will show off its All-America tackle, Brock Strom, plus Ben Martin, ex-Princeton and Navy athlete who became a big winner in his first year as coach of the Air Force.

The Air Force goes to the Cotton Bowl in Dallas to meet Texas Christian, coached by another Martin who answers to the name of Abe or Othol. Air Force probably will win this one but look for a high-scoring game.

Randy Duncan, Iowa back, and center Bob Harrison of Oklahoma are the other All-America bowlers, and coaches who join Dietzel and Ben Martin in seeking their first bowl victory are Pete Elliott of California and Ben Schwartzwalder of Syracuse.

Iowa, beaten only by Ohio State and tied by Air Force, rules a slight choice over California in the Rose Bowl. This is a battle of Michigan alumni. Iowa coach Forest Evashevski and Elliott of the Golden Bears both played football at Ann Arbor, Mich. Evy won his only other Rose Bowl trip as a coach two years ago when Iowa humbled Oregon State, 35-19.

Bowls have been a sore spot for Schwartzwalder and Syracuse. The Orangemen were roughed up by Alabama, 61-6, five years ago in the Orange Bowl, and this time the upstate New York eleven takes on Bud Wilkinson's Oklahoma club in Miami. Schwartzwalder lost a heart breaker in the Cotton Bowl two years ago, bowing 28-27 to Texas Christian.

The Oklahoma-Syracuse test figures to be a good battle with the Sooners having the edge. Oklahoma has allowed only six touchdowns all season and has blanked its last three rivals. Syracuse has been scored on for nine TD's and barely eked past West Virginia, Pitt and Penn State after bowing to Holy Cross, 14-13. Oklahoma lost only to Texas, 15-14.

Besides featuring a good defense, each team packs scoring power.

Here are the pairings again and the TV times:

ORANGE BOWL—Oklahoma vs. Syracuse, CBS 12:45 EST.
SUGAR BOWL—LSU vs. Clemson NBC 1:45 EST.
COTTON BOWL—TCU vs. Air Force, CBS 3:30 EST.
ROSE BOWL — Iowa vs. California, NBC 4:45 EST.

Officials For Pro Grid Game Named

NEW YORK (AP)—The officials for Sunday's pro playoff game between Baltimore and New York were announced here by Joe Labrum, assistant to Commissioner Bert Bell of the National Football League.

Ronald Gibbs (St. Thomas) will be the referee, Louis Palazzi (Penn State) umpire, Charley Berry (Lafayette) head linesman, Cleo Diehl (Northwestern) back judge and Charles Sweeney (Notre Dame) field judge.

The alternates are Bill Downes (Illinois Tech), Joseph Connell, (Pitt) Dan Tehan (Xavier, Ohio), Stan Jaworowski (Georgetown) and Jim Kane (Loyola, Md.).

Pearsall Boasts A Family Team

PEARSALL, Tex. (AP)—Pearsall can have an entire baseball team made up of Trevinos.

Nine of them were on the high school football squad and all play baseball.

Rafael and Ramon are the student managers. Frank is the quarterback. Peppe is a substitute back. Evaristo is a tackle. Joe is a tackle on the B team. Felix is a starting guard. Hector is a substitute back. Rudy is a reserve end.

Frank Trevino is a pitcher and Hector a catcher, so the battery always will be Trevinos.

Brown's Contract Extended 6 Years

CLEVELAND (AP)—The Cleveland Browns Wednesday extended Football Coach Paul E. Brown's contract for another six years—or through 1968. He still had four years to go on his present agreement.

Dave R. Jones, president of the Browns, said of the 50-year-old coach and general manager:

"We believe he is the greatest coach in football today. Under this long-term agreement, it's comforting to know he will be with us for a long time."

ROSE BOWL

IOWA (7-1-1)		CALIFORNIA (7-3)	
17 TCU	0	20 Pacific	24
13 Air Force	13	12 Michigan State	32
34 Indiana	13	34 Washington State	14
20 Wisconsin	9	36 Utah	21
26 Northwestern	20	14 So. California	12
37 Michigan	14	23 Oregon	6
28 Minnesota	6	8 Oregon State	14
28 Ohio State	38	20 UCLA	17
31 Notre Dame	21	12 Washington	7
		16 Stanford	15
234 Total	134	195 Total	162

FOREST EVASHEVSKI

Forest (Evy) Evashevski, Michigan's great blocking back of 18-20 years ago, has the winning habit as coach of Iowa. His Hawkeyes have lost only three games in the last three seasons. this year bowing 38-28 to Ohio State after clinching the Big Ten crown for the second time in three seasons.

Evy's overall coaching record is 54-30—6. His Big Ten mark for seven Iowa seasons is 25-17-2. He has had only two losing seasons at Iowa, 1952 and 1955. He coached Hamilton College in 1941, served in the Navy, assisted Biggie Munn at Syracuse and Michigan State and put in two seasons coaching Washington State.

PETE ELLIOTT

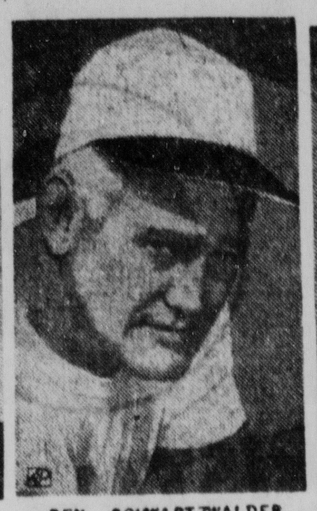
It was only a matter of time before Pete Elliott became a winning coach. His California team had won only 1 of 10 games in 1957, but this year the Golden Bears took the Pacific Coast crown. In 1956, his first year as a head coach, Elliott coached Nebraska. The team won only 4 out of 10.

Elliott, a four-letter man at Michigan, started as an end coach at Oregon State and also worked under Bud Wilkinson at Oklahoma.

California has lost three straight Rose Bowl games to Big Ten Teams. It last won at Pasadena in 1938, beating Alabama, 13-0.

ORANGE BOWL

SYRACUSE (8-1)		OKLAHOMA (8-1)	
24 Boston College	14	47 West Virginia	14
13 Holy Cross	14	6 Oregon	0
55 Cornell	0	14 Texas	15
38 Nebraska	0	43 Kansas	0
14 Penn State	6	40 Kansas State	6
16 Pittsburgh	13	23 Colorado	7
42 Boston U.	0	20 Iowa State	0
47 Colgate	0	39 Missouri	0
15 West Virginia	12	7 Oklahoma State	0
264 Total	59	239 Total	42



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The men who sow the seeds to produce "grass roots" baseball throughout the broad land, are not yet in green pastures, but there is definite reason to believe they will have fewer weeds to contend with in the year to come.

One thing I have noted with great encouragement is evidence of closer cooperation from our big brothers in the major league. At our recent annual meetings in Washington, D.C., all baseball legislation that was adopted by National Association clubs also was passed by the major leagues. I came away with the feeling there was a closer bond—which is as it should be since we are all in the same family.

From every sector, even though the opening of the 1959 season is more than four months away, we are getting encouraging reports on advance ticket sales. Whole communities are working together to "sell" and therefore preserve baseball in a way that makes me feel we're in for better days ahead.

Notes Good Sign

There are other good signs. Fence advertising signs to be specific. For the first time in the history of the minors, efforts are being made to sell some of the attractive displays on our outfield fences to national advertisers. If this program is accomplished, not only will valuable additional revenue accrue to our clubs, but the advertisers involved will be reaching "grass roots" markets in a most effective and economical manner.

Of course, our clubs and leagues are continuing to sell their advertising displays at the local level and they are busily engaged also in an intensified promotional program. All clubs are planning special occasions at their parks during the coming season which will make a day or night at the ball game more enjoyable than ever to our legion of loyal fans.

Legislation Should Help

There were other significant developments at the baseball meetings. I am sure fans everywhere will be awaiting eagerly the start of a new season wherein there will be new cities and new rivalries as the result of re-alignments. There was legislation enacted that should be of long range benefit to our clubs in the A, B, C, and D classifications. Working agreements with major league clubs have been improved and this should help in the field of player development and in the stabilization of these "little fellows" in our family.

The new first year draft regulation, which might be termed a "noble experiment", is something that will be watched with great interest. The rule provides that free agent players without previous professional experience will be subject to the annual player draft, provided they are not brought up to the major league club that owns their contracts.

Since there is a limit of 40 players who can be under control by the major league club, this should tend to diminish the flow of vast "bonus" money that went out to untried kids. This will in no way reduce the opportunity of the truly exceptional young players who will continue to get as much money for signing contracts as the market allows. They still will have an incentive for advancement and can earn as much as their ability warrants.

All in all, it looks like a brighter year ahead for all of baseball.

Tropical Park Pays Pair Of Daily Doubles

Regulation Payoff Is $642 Yule Gift

MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 24 (AP)—Late withdrawal of Otomana from the second race necessitated two daily double payoffs today at Tropical Park.

Bettors who coupled Summer Storm, $97.60 outsider in the first, with Otomana received a $46.50 consolation payoff. The regulation double of Summer Storm and Concord, $18.50 winner in the second, collected a $642.70 Christmas present.

Summer Storm forced the pace into the stretch and outfinished Melody Magic by one length in 1:13 for six furlongs. Farotol lasted for third money. John Block rode the upsetter.

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Coach And Team Records For New Year's Day Bowl Games

4 All-Americas In Bowl Games

BY FRANK ECK
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Each of the four major bowl games on New Year's Day means a chance to view an All-America player in action and a chance for four coaches to become bowl winners for the first time.

Louisiana State's appearance against Clemson in the Sugar Bowl at New Orleans features All-America Billy Cannon, the 6-foot-1 back who can do just about everything on a football field.

LSU also has in Paul Dietzel a coach who came from obscurity to lead his Tigers to No. 1 rating in the nation and himself became the coach of the year.

LSU is the only unbeaten and untied team in a major bowl game and naturally will be favored over a Clemson team that was trimmed by South Carolina and blanked by Georgia Tech.

The U. S. Air Force Academy eleven, the only other unbeaten major bowl team, will show off its All-America tackle, Brock Strom, plus Ben Martin, ex-Princeton and Navy athlete who became a big winner in his first year as coach of the Air Force.

The Air Force goes to the Cotton Bowl in Dallas to meet Texas Christian, coached by another Martin who answers to the name of Abe or Othol. Air Force probably will win this one but look for a high-scoring game.

Randy Duncan, Iowa back, and center Bob Harrison of Oklahoma are the other All-America bowlers, and coaches who join Dietzel and Ben Martin in seeking their first bowl victory are Pete Elliott of California and Ben Schwartzwalder of Syracuse.

Iowa, beaten only by Ohio State and tied by Air Force, rules a slight choice over California in the Rose Bowl. This is a battle of Michigan alumni. Iowa coach Forest Evashevski and Elliott of the Golden Bears both played football at Ann Arbor, Mich. Evy won his only other Rose Bowl trip as a coach two years ago when Iowa humbled Oregon State, 35-19.

Bowls have been a sore spot for Schwartzwalder and Syracuse. The Orangemen were roughed up by Alabama, 61-6, five years ago in the Orange Bowl, and this time the upstate New York eleven takes on Bud Wilkinson's Oklahoma club in Miami. Schwartzwalder lost a heart breaker in the Cotton Bowl two years ago, bowing 28-27 to Texas Christian.

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Besides featuring a good defense, each team packs scoring power.

Here are the pairings again and the TV times:

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ROSE BOWL — Iowa vs. California, NBC 4:45 EST.

Officials For Pro Grid Game Named

NEW YORK (AP)—The officials for Sunday's pro playoff game between Baltimore and New York were announced here by Joe Labrum, assistant to Commissioner Bert Bell of the National Football League.

Ronald Gibbs (St. Thomas) will be the referee, Louis Palazzi (Penn State) umpire, Charley Berry (Lafayette) head linesman, Cleo Diehl (Northwestern) back judge and Charles Sweeney (Notre Dame) field judge.

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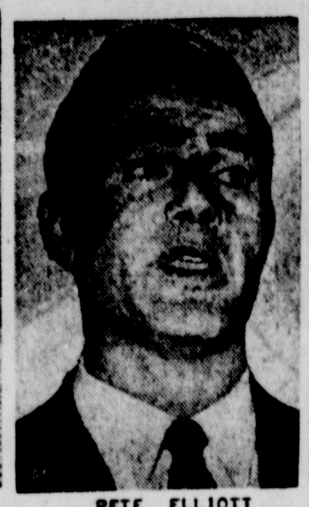

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A combined hunting and fishing licese costs $3, plus a 15-cent fee paid the dispenser of such permit. Separate hunting and fishing licenses are $2 each, plus the 15 cents.

The trout season for next year will open on April 25, if Conservation Commission policy of setting the last Saturday in April as the first day is followed at a spring meeting at which seasons and creel limits will be set.

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4-pc. French Provincial Cherry suite with panel bed, dresser, chest and night table, specially priced $249.95

3-pc. Bassett deluxe bedroom with bookcase bed, double dresser, with tilting mirror, and chest, deluxe construction, regularly $199.95 ..... $169.95

SUITES AND SECTIONALS

2-pc. Kenmar Nylon beige suite with reversible foam rubber cushions regularly $475.00 ..... $399.95

2-pc. Valentine Seaver suite with foam rubber construction and nylon covering, reversible cushions . . . regularly $449.95 ..... $425.95

Kenmar 2-pc. suite with green nylon upholstery and foam rubber construction, regularly $329.95 ..... $275.95

2-pc. Kenmar Red Nylon Suite specially low priced at $149.95

2-pc. Kenmar tapestry suite with foam rubber cushions now reduced to $189.95

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Vehicles Dept. To Hold Open House

CHARLESTON, Va. (UPI) — The State Department of Motor Vehicles will hold an open-house Tuesday to introduce new data-processing equipment for the department's drivers' license division, Commissioner Hubert A. Kelly announced Wednesday.

The new equipment cost around $80,000 and represents "an entirely new approach" to the problems of processing West Virginia drivers' licenses, Kelly said.

To Head Committees

Two local chiropractors have been appointed chairmen of Maryland Chiropractic Association committees for 1959.

They are Dr. Rita E. Brinker, public relations, and Dr. Harold E. Malin, sergeant-at-arms.

False Alarmers To Get 'The Book'

WHEELING, W. Va. (UPI)— Wheeling Fire Chief William S. McFadden warned Wednesday that he would "throw the book" at anyone turning in a false alarm.

McFadden, up in arms over a series of recent false alarms, noted that pranksters are subject to a fine of $100 and costs or a year in jail.

County Sanitarians Have Busy Month

Allegany County sanitarians made more than 300 field trips during November to guard the health of residents.

J. Byron Dowling, chief sanitarian, said there were 34 trips on sewage problems, 30 to make percolation tests and 88 trips to inspect dairy farms.

The sanitarians collected 219 water and 268 milk samples for laboratory analysis.

During the month the sanitarians noted that three water supplies had been improved, 48 septic tanks installed, 41 milk licenses and three food and drinking establisment permits issued.

Serving In Bermuda

Timothy C. Abbott, aviation electronicsman second class, USN, son of Mrs. Elizabeth S. Abbott of Winchester Road and husband of the former Miss Gretchen M. Edwards of 33 North Mechanic Street, is serving with Fleet Aircraft Service Squadron 111, based at Bermuda, which has been awarded the Commander, Naval Air Force, Atlantic Fleet Safety Award for maintaining an accident free record in 1957 and 1958.

Safecrackers Get Only $10

CHARLESTON, W. Va. (UPI)— Thieves hauled away a 400-pound safe Tuesday night after breaking through the roof of the Capitol Wholesale Co. here but gained little for their work.

Company president T. J. Straughan said the safe contained only $10 in cash but also had some valuable company records and about two dozen watches. The value of the watches was not listed.

The thieves carried the safe through a rear door after chiseling, prying and sawing their way through the roof.

Brush Blaze Quenched

A small brush fire on Winchester Road was extinguished Tuesday evening by 16 members of LaVale Volunteer Fire Company under direction of Chief James Loar.

A second alarm shortly before 7 p. m. brought 13 Cresaptown Volunteer Fire Company members to the scene under direction of Louis Winters, first assistant chief, but the LaVale company had the fire out when the Cresaptown men arrived.

Never place a new coat of floor wax over an old coat.

Health Board Meets Jan. 5

The City Health Board will meet January 5 at 1:30 p. m. in the office of Mayor J. Edwin Keech.

A number of problems are scheduled for discussion and action, according to J. Byron Dowling, sanitarian.

Included will be trash removal from the city, housing, rats at the city dump, fire hazards in schools, trash in Wills Creek and substandard housing.

Present will be Mayor Keech, chairman; Dr. Ralph Ballin, member, and Dr. Ton van Strien, county health officer, who serves as secretary.

Fire Chief Virgil Parker, Police Commissioner Philmore Fleming and Police Chief R. E. Flynn are being invited to attend.

City Seeks Bids

The City of Cumberland is advertising for bids for pest control at the city dump, city warehouse, City Hall and the Public Safety Building.

Bids will be opened by the Mayor and Council on January 12 at 10 a. m.

Dental Health Week Literature Is Ready

Literature on children's dental health, including posters for Children's Dental Health Week, February 8-14, 1959, is available to teachers, leaders of parent-teachers associations and other groups interested in the health of Maryland's youngsters, according to Dr. Filbert Moore, Baltimore, chairman of the Council of Dental Health of the Maryland State Dental Association.

County groups may obtain information about the literature from Dr. Richard C. Leonard, chief, Division of Dental Health, Maryland State Department of Health, or from their county agents.

Construction Contracts Are Up 20 Per Cent

Contracts for future construction in October in Maryland amounted to $62,705,000, an increase of 20 per cent from October 1957, according to F. W. Dodge Corporation.

According to Dodge figures, a breakdown of contracts by the major building categories in October, compared to the like month in 1957, showed non-residential at $17,241,000, up 61 per cent; residential at $30,555,000, down 14 per cent, and heavy engineering at $14,909,000, up substantially.

The cumulative total of contracts for the first 10 months of 1958 amounted to $571,778,000, up 13 per cent from the like 1957 period. Cumulative total of contracts in the major construction categories showed non-residential at $170,153,000, down 9 per cent: residential at $265,922,000, up 13 per cent; and heavy engineering at $135,703,000, up 61 per cent.

Virus May Be Serious In Infants

The diarrhea which is prevalent throughout this area can have serious effects upon infants and children, according to Dr. Ton van Strien, county health officer.

He said dehydration resulting from the attacks may be a very serious condition, as liquids are lost rapidly in chronic or continuous spells.

Infants should be taken to the doctor, he said, if the condition is continuous for two days.

The illness apparently results from a virus infection and whole families have been stricken within the same day.

The condition is what is commonly called a 24-hour virus, for the time the acute stage usually lasts.

Mrs. Judy Heads Grant Farm Women

PETERSBURG—Grant County Farm Women have elected the following officers for the year: President, Mrs. Ray Judy, Maysville; vice president, Mrs. Clement Stump, Landes; secretary, Mrs. Brook Muntzing, Scherr and treasurer, Mrs. Lloyd Snyder, Lahmansville.

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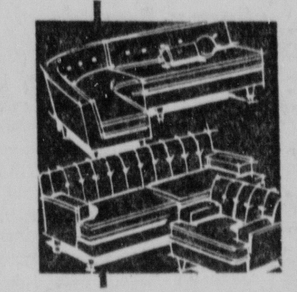

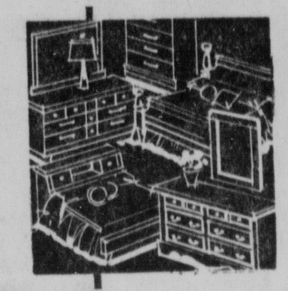

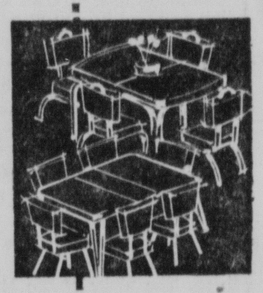

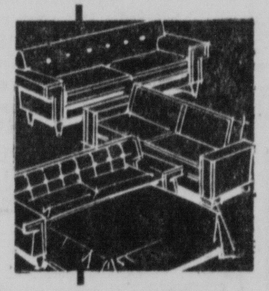

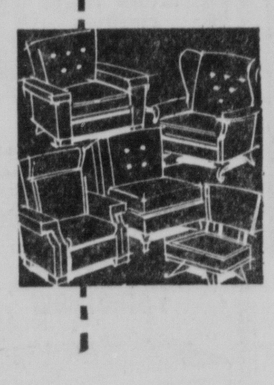

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Moose Pack Christmas Baskets

Members of Cumberland Lodge 271, Loyal Order of Moose, pack Christmas baskets for about 50 needy families in the area. In photo are John Mitchell, John Vernall, Joseph McFarland, Arthur Gellner, William Winters, chairman of the committee, and Donald Lilya, governor of the lodge. The lodge also held a Christmas party for children yesterday afternoon.

Vehicles Dept. To Hold Open House

CHARLESTON, Va. (UPI) — The State Department of Motor Vehicles will hold an open-house Tuesday to introduce new data-processing equipment for the department's drivers' license division, Commissioner Hubert A. Kelly announced Wednesday.

The new equipment cost around $80,000 and represents "an entirely new approach" to the problems of processing West Virginia drivers' licenses, Kelly said.

To Head Committees

Two local chiropractors have been appointed chairmen of Maryland Chiropractic Association committees for 1959.

They are Dr. Rita E. Brinker, public relations, and Dr. Harold E. Malin, sergeant-at-arms.

False Alarmers To Get 'The Book'

WHEELING, W. Va. (UPI)—Wheeling Fire Chief William S. McFadden warned Wednesday that he would "throw the book" at anyone turning in a false alarm.

McFadden, up in arms over a series of recent false alarms, noted that pranksters are subject to a fine of $100 and costs or a year in jail.

County Sanitarians Have Busy Month

Allegany County sanitarians made more than 300 field trips during November to guard the health of residents.

J. Byron Dowling, chief sanitarian, said there were 34 trips on sewage problems, 30 to make percolation tests and 88 trips to inspect dairy farms.

The sanitarians collected 219 water and 268 milk samples for laboratory analysis.

During the month the sanitarians noted that three water supplies had been improved, 48 septic tanks installed, 41 milk licenses and three food and drinking establisment permits issued.

Serving In Bermuda

Timothy C. Abbott, aviation electronicsman second class, USN, son of Mrs. Elizabeth S. Abbott of Winchester Road and husband of the former Miss Gretchen M. Edwards of 33 North Mechanic Street, is serving with Fleet Aircraft Service Squadron 111, based at Bermuda, which has been awarded the Commander, Naval Air Force, Atlantic Fleet Safety Award for maintaining an accident free record in 1957 and 1958.

Safecrackers Get Only $10

CHARLESTON, W. Va. (UPI)—Thieves hauled away a 400-pound safe Tuesday night after breaking through the roof of the Capitol Wholesale Co. here but gained little for their work.

Company president T. J. Straughan said the safe contained only $10 in cash but also had some valuable company records and about two dozen watches. The value of the watches was not listed.

The thieves carried the safe through a rear door after chiseling, prying and sawing their way through the roof.

Brush Blaze Quenched

A small brush fire on Winchester Road was extinguished Tuesday evening by 16 members of LaVale Volunteer Fire Company under direction of Chief James Loar.

A second alarm shortly before 7 p. m. brought 13 Cresaptown Volunteer Fire Company members to the scene under direction of Louis Winters, first assistant chief, but the LaVale company had the fire out when the Cresaptown men arrived.

Never place a new coat of floor wax over an old coat.

Health Board Meets Jan. 5

The City Health Board will meet January 5 at 1:30 p. m. in the office of Mayor J. Edwin Keech.

A number of problems are scheduled for discussion and action, according to J. Byron Dowling, sanitarian.

Included will be trash removal from the city, housing, rats at the city dump, fire hazards in schools, trash in Wills Creek and substandard housing.

Present will be Mayor Keech, chairman; Dr. Ralph Ballin, member, and Dr. Ton van Strien, county health officer, who serves as secretary.

Fire Chief Virgil Parker, Police Commissioner Philmore Fleming and Police Chief R. E. Flynn are being invited to attend.

City Seeks Bids

The City of Cumberland is advertising for bids for pest control at the city dump, city warehouse, City Hall and the Public Safety Building.

Bids will be opened by the Mayor and Council on January 12 at 10 a. m.

Dental Health Week Literature Is Ready

Literature on children's dental health, including posters for Children's Dental Health Week, February 8-14, 1959, is available to teachers, leaders of parent-teachers associations and other groups interested in the health of Maryland's youngsters, according to Dr. Filbert Moore, Baltimore, chairman of the Council of Dental Health of the Maryland State Dental Association.

County groups may obtain information about the literature from Dr. Richard C. Leonard, chief, Division of Dental Health, Maryland State Department of Health, or from their county agents.

Construction Contracts Are Up 20 Per Cent

Contracts for future construction in October in Maryland amounted to $62,705,000, an increase of 20 per cent from October 1957, according to F. W. Dodge Corporation.

According to Dodge figures, a breakdown of contracts by the major building categories in October, compared to the like month in 1957, showed non-residential at $17,241,000, up 61 per cent; residential at $30,555,000, down 14 per cent, and heavy engineering at $14,909,000, up substantially.

The cumulative total of contracts for the first 10 months of 1958 amounted to $571,778,000, up 13 per cent from the like 1957 period. Cumulative total of contracts in the major construction categories showed non-residential at $170,153,000, down 9 per cent: residential at $265,922,000, up 13 per cent; and heavy engineering at $135,703,000, up 61 per cent.

Virus May Be Serious In Infants

The diarrhea which is prevalent throughout this area can have serious effects upon infants and children, according to Dr. Ton van Strien, county health officer.

He said dehydration resulting from the attacks may be a very serious condition, as liquids are lost rapidly in chronic or continuous spells.

Infants should be taken to the doctor, he said, if the condition is continuous for two days.

The illness apparently results from a virus infection and whole families have been stricken within the same day.

The condition is what is commonly called a 24-hour virus, for the time the acute stage usually lasts.

Mrs. Judy Heads Grant Farm Women

PETERSBURG—Grant County Farm Women have elected the following officers for the year: President, Mrs. Ray Judy, Maysville; vice president, Mrs. Clement Stump, Landes; secretary, Mrs. Brook Muntzing, Scherr and treasurer, Mrs. Lloyd Snyder, Lahmansville.

County committee chairmen are: Mrs. I. H. Taylor, better living projects; Mrs. Vernon Haslacker, citizenship and 4-H; Mrs. George Yokum, "Let's Preserve West Virginia's Beauty;" Mrs. W. C. Deadrick, health and nutrition; Mrs. Charles Lahman, recreation and Mrs. Bert Bergeson, music.

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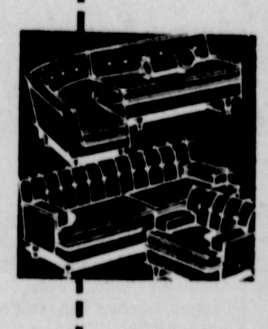

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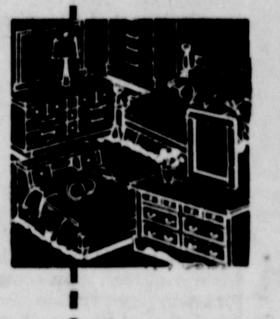

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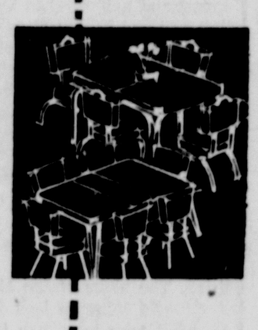

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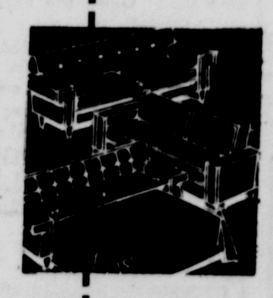

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Cable Channel
6:30—2-Classroom 9 9
Sunrise Show 2
6:45—4-Today on 6'rm 4
7:00—2-Morning Show 9
4-Today 4
Pitts. AM 2
Today 6
Breakf't Time 10
7:45—3-News, Faith 7
8:00—2-Capt. K'garoo 9
3-Pete & Pals 7
Capt. K'garoo 2
8:45—2-Ranger Hal 9
Josie 2
9:00—3-Beulah 7
4-Xmas Service 4
5-Kartoon Club 5
Xmas Service 6
Action Show 10
9:15— Slimnastics 2
9:30—3-Topper 7
Great Life 2
9:45—2-Mark Time 9
10:00—2-Love or Mo'ey 9
3-T'ble w/ Dad 7
4-Dough-Re-Mi 4
5-Hour of Stars 5
Love or Mo'ey 2
News, Weather 3
Dough-Re-Mi 6
Hour of Stars 10
10:15— News, W'ther 3
10:30—2-Play Hunch 9
3-Margie 7
4-Treasure Hunt 4
My L'tle M'gie 2
Treasure Hunt 3
Treasure Hunt 6
11:00—2-Arth. Godfrey 9
3-Music Bingo 7
4-Price Is Right 4
5-Mr.-Mrs. N'rth 5
K'ghts Te'plar 2
Price Is Right 3
Price Is Right 6
Day In Court 10
11:15— Arthur Godf'y 2
11:30—2-Top Dollar 9
3-Peter L. Hayes 7
4-Concentration 4
5-Science Time 5
Top Dollar 2
Concentration 3
Concentration 6
Top Dollar 10
12:00—2-Love Of Life 9
4-Tic Tac Dough 4
5-Cartoons 5
News 2
Love Of Life 3
Tic Tac Dough 6
Peter Hayes 10
12:15—Jean Connelly 2
12:30—2-Search To'row 9
3-Mother's Day 7
4-Could Be You 4
5-Romper Room 5
Search To'row 2
Could Be You 3
Could Be You 6
Farm P'gram 10
12:45—2-Guiding Light 9
Guiding Light 2
1:00—2-Stars Theatre 9
3-Liberace 7
4-In Our Town 4
5-TV Digest 5
Movies 2
Star Rises 3
Rural Review 6
Liberace 10

Cable Channel
1:15— Industry P'ade 3
Man To Man 6
1:30—2-World Turns 9
3-I Married Joan 7
4-Famed Playh'e 4
5-Movies 5
World Turns 3
Curtain Call 6
World Turns 10
2:00—2-Jimmy Dean 9
3-Day In Court 7
4-Truth, Conseq. 4
Truth, Conseq. 3
Xmas Album 3
Truth, Conseq. 6
Chance Rom'e 10
2:30—2-House Party 9
3-Miss Brooks 7
4-Haggis Baggis 4
Movies 2
Haggis Baggis 3
Haggis Baggis 6
Search To'row 10
2:45— Guiding Light 10
3:00—2-Big Payoff 9
3-Beat Clock 7
4-Today Is Ours 4
5-Jigsaw Quiz 5
Big Payoff 2
Today Is Ours 3
Today Is Ours 6
Beat Clock 10
3:30—2-Your Verdict 9
3-Do You Trust 7
4-These Roots 4
5-Grandpa's Pl'e 5
Santa & Queen 3
These Roots 6
Gift Box 10
3:45— Brighter Day 10
4:00—2-Brighter Day 9
3-Bandstand 7
4-Q'en For Day 4
5-Pick Temple 5
Xmas Carols 3
Q'en For Day 6
Bandstand 10
4:15—2-Secret Storm 9
Secret Storm 3
4:30—2-Edge Of Night 9
4-County Fair 4
Cartoons 2
Edge Of Night 3
County Fair 6
Fun Club 10
5:00—2-Early Show 9
4-Susie 4
5-Milt Grant 5
Movies 2
Boys Choir 3
Adventurama 6
Fun Club 10
5:30—3-Adven Time 7
4-Burns & Allen 4
Huckle Hound 3
Huckle, Hound 6
Adven. Time 10
6:00—3-Judge Bean 7
4-Huckle, Hound 4
Star In Nits 3
Spts, Weather 6
Popeye 10
6:15—3-News, W'ther 5
Santa Claus 2
News 6
Sports 10
6:30—2-Spotlight 9
3-Amos & Andy 7
4-Sam, Weather 4
5-Popeye 5
Annie Oakley 2
News, W'ther 3
Frontier 6
News, W'ther 10

Cable Channel
6:45—2-Edwards News 9
4-NBC News 4
Edwards News 3
Ed'ards News 10
7:00—2-Dial 999 9
3-News, Sports 7
4-Cochise Sheriff 4
5-White Hunter 5
News, Weather 2
Lamb In M'ger3
Abbie Neal 6
McK'zie R'rs 10
7:15—3-News 7
Edwards News 2
7:30—2-M'K'zie's R'rs 9
3-Leave It B'ver 7
4-Jeff'son Drum 4
5-It's The Name 5
Death Valley 2
Wanted 3
Buckskin 6
Naked City 10
8:00—2-Dec. Bride 9
3—Zorro 7
4-Ed Wynn 4
5-Movies 5
Dec. Bride 2
Dec. Bride 3
Ed Wynn 6
Zorro 10
8:30—2-Derringer 9
3-Real McCoy 7
4-Could be You 4
Derringer 2
Phil Silvers 3
Could Be You 6
Real McCoys 10
9:00—2-Zane Grey 9
3-Chevy Show 7
4-Closed Doors 4
5-Wrestling 5
Zane Grey 2
Closed Doors 3
Closed Doors 6
Chevy Show 10
9:30—2-Playhouse 90 9
3-Rough Riders 7
4-Ford Show 4
Playhouse 90 2
Playhouse 90 3
Ford Show 6
Playhouse 90 10
10:00—3-Frontier Dr. 7
4-Groucho Marx 4
Groucho Marx 6
10:30—3-J. Daly News 7
4-Masq'ade P'ty 4
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10:45—3-News, Spts. 7
11:00—2-11 P.M. Report 9
3-Walter W'chell 7
4-News 4
5-News, Movie 5
News 2
News, Sports 3
News 6
News 10
11:15—2-Late Show 9
4-Weather, Spts. 4
Gateway Studio 2
Jack Paar 3
Diamond Th'tre 6
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11:30—3-F'w That Man 7
4-Jack Paar 4
12:00—3-Jungle 7
12:45— T'ght for Day 10
1:00—2-Meditations 9
4-Inspiration 4
News, Theatre 2

Keeping Up With Hollywood

by Louella Parsons

HOLLYWOOD—I must say it is a happy, and flattering, Christmas for Audie Murphy because he has been personally selected by director John Huston and producer Jim Hill to replace Richard Burton in "The Unforgiven." The reason Burton is out is that he was asking too much money—or so I hear. So, with Audie available for loan out from Universal - International, Huston grabbed him.

This isn't just an idle choice on Huston's part. Years ago he made the controversial "Red Badge of Courage" with Audie at MGM and he admires him very much as an actor.

The company headed by Burt Lancaster, Audrey Hepburn, John Saxon and Lillian Gish takes off for Mexico on the 10th of January where "The Unforgiven" will be filmed.

I don't know who it is, but someone has been trying to sell a script, "Witchcraft", with the idea of starring Linda Christian. We heard a story that she is to get $60,000 and 10 per cent of the profits. It is very hard for me to believe, but there might be something to it since the rumor has been repeated several times.

You would be surprised at the deluge of letters from Tyrone Power's friends and fans that have poured in, protesting any picture for Linda after just a single line in one of the trade papers. So many of Ty's close friends and admirers are bitter against Linda, and feel as "Baby" Pignatari did when he had placards made saying, "GO HOME, LINDA."

The casting of Jimmy Stewart and Lana Turner for "Anatomy of Murder" is now definite according to Otto Preminger. He says production starts March 16, and Lana will play Laura Manion, and Jimmy plays the attorney, Paul Beigler. The book "Anatomy of Murder" stood at the top of the best-seller list for a long, long time. It's by Robert Traver, whose real name is John Voelker.

Speaking of "Anatomy of Murder," Ray Stark and his partner, Eliot Hyman, are not out in the cold by any means. They receive $175,000 cash and 25 per cent of the profits. This was the deal made to keep Stark and Hyman from suing and tieing up in litigation the novel which has so many readers.

In this day and age when people are so full of woes and troubles, it was wonderful to hear Jayne Mansfield say over the telephone (45 minutes after her son Miklos was born), "I know I'm the happiest girl in the world."

Television and Radio

by John Crosby

Burma Bromide

"'The Hasty Heart' (it says here in a press release) is the touching and humorous story of Lachie, a proud and unapproachable Scot sergeant, confined to a British hospital near the Assam-Burma front in World War II. Margaret, a pretty nurse, and five soldiers in her ward try to make friends with standoffish Scotsman who, everyone but Lachie knows, has only a few weeks to live."

I'm afraid that's a terribly accurate summation of just what transpired. The only thing it omits is that it took ninety minutes which is an awfully long time for the cast and the rest of us to choke back our tears. The November show of the month, incidentally, was "The Winslow Boy" in which Frederic March, Florence Eldredge and Siobhan McKenna kept up a stiff upper lip over the unjust disgrace of a schoolboy for most of ninety minutes, their voices breaking into a quaver, only occasionally.

Both are vintage Broadway successes; both are of the same mean level of sentimentality; both are full safe (which is the opposite of half safe) in the sense that you can hardly attack either of them unless you are prepared to come out against motherhood and the flag, too. And both the plays, I think, are a bit dull.

The way things are going you'd swear that any day now DuPont would revive "What Every Woman Knows" and by George, you'd be right. That'll be the next one. Not that there's anything really bad about any of these. The Show of the Month is a splendid thing to look forward to, what with television being in the awful state it is. There's still magic in those words "live from New York" which are heard so very seldom any more. But, gosh, fellas, I don't ask that you do anything so bold as "Cat On a Hot Tin Roof" which is only fit for the little art houses like Radio City Music Hall where it just played, but couldn't you maybe be daring enough to do "Street Scene" which comes out four-square against tenements?

"The Hasty Heart" opens with a crew of rough-tongued but golden-hearted soldier patients in a Burmese hospital, chaffing one another in their rough-tongued but golden-hearted way. One of the men (Jackie Cooper) is an American known by an odd coincidence as Yank, an Aussie (Richard Harris) yclept Digger, a Briton called Tommy—jove, what an apt name!—and a New Zealander tagged Kiwi. Not only are they impaled with those names but they are all so confoundedly American or Australian or British or New Zealand that you want to kick them.

Into this tight little group strides a dour Scot named Lachlen McLachlen who rebuffs all efforts to be friendly with words like: "I dinna like to have things done for me . . . I place little value on talking for naught . . . I dinna need companionship." And like that.

Against this rudeness under which you sense (if they didn't spell it out for you in lights) a lonely boy, Barbara Bel Geddes plays a nurse who smiles tremulously and softly pleads and is so utterly angelic that I wanted to stick a pin in her to see if she bled blood or perhaps honey. Well, sir, they work on this dour old Scot in their rough-hewn but good-hearted way and what finally does him in is his birthday. As a birthday present, the patients team up and give him a whole complete outfit of plaids, kilts and all, and he comes unglued. And I came unglued. And Barbara Bel Geddes came unglued and the whole DuPont family, I guess, cried its little eyes out.

After that the Scot unbent to the point where he was actually giving cigarets away and just throwing himself around in the most nauseous way. Pretty soon, he and his Geddes fell to nuzzling each other. I have no intention of pursuing the plot to its conclusion beyond telling you it was sticky.

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5-Kartoon Klub 5
Romper Room 6
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1:00—2-Th'tre of Stars 9
3-Liberace 7
4-In Our Town 4
5-TV Digest 5
Big Movie 2
British Way 3
Family Pride 6
Liberace 10
1:30—3-As World T'ns 9
3-I Married Joan 7
4-F'm'd Playh's 4
5-Movies 5

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Adventurama 6
5:30—3-Mickey Mouse 7
4-Burns, Allen 4
Hand Arts 3
Last Mohican 6
Mickey Mouse 10
6:00—3-Sky King 7
4-Jeff's Collie 4
Kiddie K'toons 3
Spts, Weather 8
Popeye 10
6:15—5-News, Weather 5
Santa Claus 2
Showcase 3
News 6
Sports 10
6:30—2-Spotlight 9
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Bold Journey 6
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4-NBC News 4

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4-Flight 4
5-Jim Bowie 5
News, W'ather 2
Klub Kwiz 3
Real McCoys 6
Marry Mil'ire 10
7:15—3-News 7
Edwards News 2
7:30—2-Hit Parade 9
3-Rin Tin Tin 7
4-Buckskin 4
5-Badge 714 5
Hit Parade 2
Rin Tin Tin 3
Thin Man 6
Hit Parade 10
8:00—2-Trackdown 9
3-Walt Disney 7
4-Ellery Queen 4
5-Movies 5
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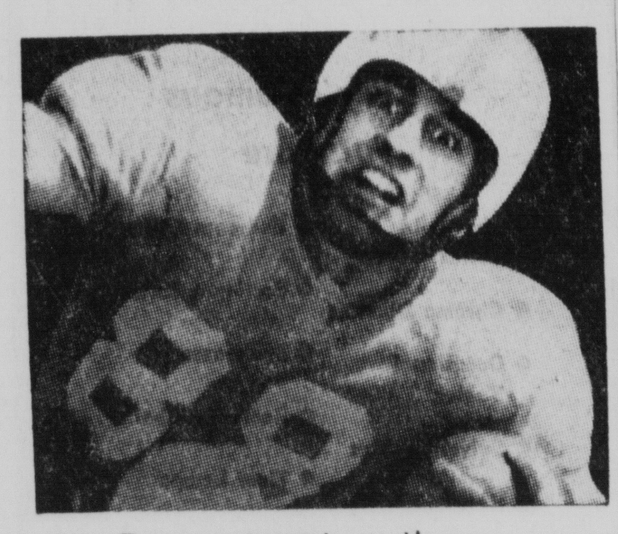
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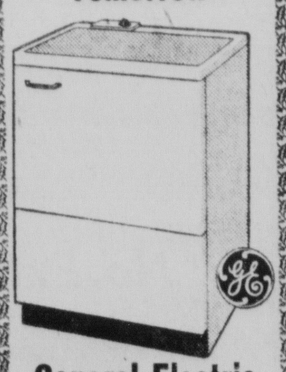
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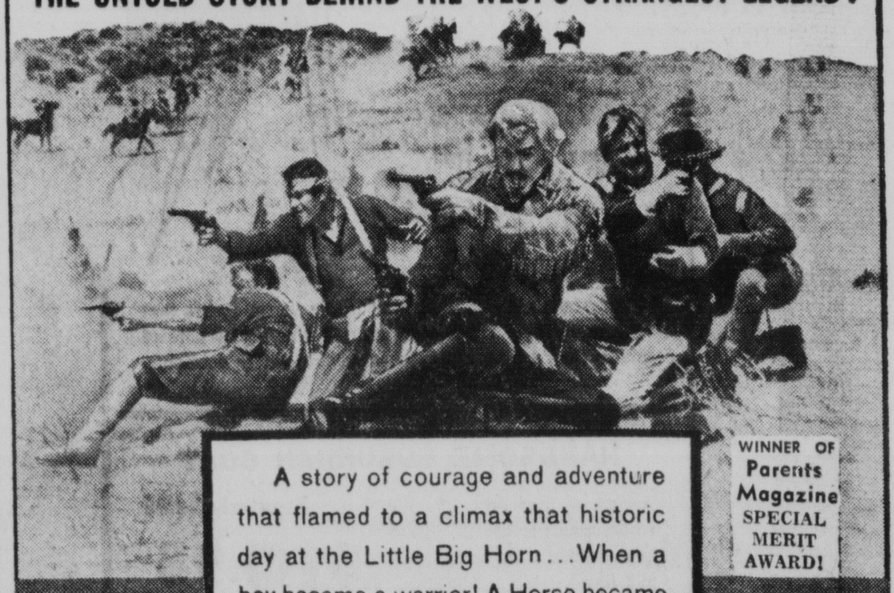
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8:00—2-Capt. K'garoo 9, 3-Pete & Pals 7, Capt. K'garoo 2
8:45—2-Ranger Hal 9, Josie 2
9:00—3-Beulah 7, 4-Xmas Service 4, 5-Kartoon Club 5, Xmas Service 6, Action Show 10
9:15— Slimnastics 2
9:30—3-Topper 7, Great Life 2
9:45—3-Mark Time 9
10:00—2-Love or Mo'ey 9, 3-T'ble w/ Dad 7, 4-Dough-Re-Mi 4, 5-Hour of Stars 5, Love or Mo'ey 2, News, Weather 3, Dough-Re-Mi 6, Hour of Stars 10
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11:00—2-Arth. Godfrey 9, 3-Music Bingo 7, 4-Price Is Right 4, 5-Mr.-Mrs. N'rth 5, K'ghts Te'plar 2, Price Is Right 3, Price Is Right 6, Day In Court 10
11:15— Arthur Godf'y 2
11:30—2-Top Dollar 9, 3-Peter L. Hayes 7, 4-Concentration 4, 5-Science Time 5, Top Dollar 2, Concentration 3, Concentration 6, Top Dollar 10
12:00—2-Love Of Life 9, 4-Tic Tac Dough 4, 5-Cartoons 5, News 2, Love Of Life 3, Tic Tac Dough 6, Peter Hayes 10
12:15—Jean Connelly 2
12:30—2-Search To'row 9, 3-Mother's Day 7, 4-Could Be You 4, 5-Romper Room 5, Search To'row 2, Could Be You 3, Could Be You 6, Farm Prgram 10
12:45—2-Guiding Light 9, Guiding Light 2
1:00—2-Stars Theatre 9, 3-Liberace 7, 4-In Our Town 4, 5-TV Digest 5, Movies 2, Star Rises 3, Rural Review 6, Liberace 10
1:15— Industry P'rade 3, Man To Man 6
1:30—2-World Turns 9, 3-I Married Joan 7, 4-Famed Playh'e 4, 5-Movies 5, World Turns 3, Curtain Call 6, World Turns 10
2:00—2-Jimmy Dean 9, 3-Day In Court 7, 4-Truth, Conseq. 4, Xmas Album 3, Truth, Conseq. 6, Chance Rom'e 10
2:30—2-House Party 9, 3-Miss Brooks 7, 4-Haggis Baggis 4, Movies 2, Haggis Baggis 3, Haggis Baggis 6, Search To'row 10
2:45— Guiding Light 10
3:00—2-Big Payoff 9, 3-Beat Clock 7, 4-Today Is Ours 4, 5-Jigsaw Quiz 5, Big Payoff 2, Today Is Ours 3, Today Is Ours 6, Beat Clock 10
3:30—2-Your Verdict 9, 3-Do You Trust 7, 4-These Roots 4, 5-Grandpa's Pl'e 5, Santa & Queen 3, These Roots 6, Gift Box 10
3:45— Brighter Day 10
4:00—2-Brighter Day 9, 3-Bandstand 7, 4-Q'en For Day 4, 5-Pick Temple 5, Xmas Carols 3, Q'en For Day 6, Bandstand 10
4:15—2-Secret Storm 9, Secret Storm 3
4:30—2-Edge Of Night 9, 4-County Fair 4, Cartoons 2, Edge Of Night 3, County Fair 6, Fun Club 10
5:00—2-Early Show 9, 4-Susie 4, 5-Milt Grant 5, Movies 2, Boys Choir 3, Adventurama 6, Fun Club 10
5:30—3-Adven Time 7, 4-Burns & Allen 4, Huckle Hound 3, Huckle, Hound 6, Adven. Time 10
6:00—3-Judge Dean 7, 4-Huckle, Hound 4, Star In Nite 3, Spts. Weather 6, Popeye 10
6:15—3-News, W'ther 5, Santa Claus 2, News 6, Sports 10
6:30—2-Spotlight 9, 3-Amos & Andy 7, 4-Sam. Weather 4, 5-Popeye 5, Annie Oakley 2, News, W'ther 3, Frontier 6, News, W'ther 10
6:45—2-Edwards News 9, 4-NBC News 4, Edwards News 3, Ed'ards News 10
7:00—2-Dial 999 9, 3-News, Sports 7, 4-Cochise Sheriff 4, 5-White Hunter 5, News, Weather 2, Lamb In M'ger 3, Abbie Nea' 6, McK'zie R'rs 10
7:15—3-News 7, Edwards News 2
7:30—2-M'K'zie's R'rs 9, 3-Leave It B'ver 7, 4-Jeff'son Drum 4, 5-It's The Name 5, Death Valley 2, Wanted 3, Buckskin 6, Naked City 10
8:00—2-Dec. Bride 9, 3—Zorro 7, 4-Ed Wynn 4, 5-Movies 5, Dec. Bride 2, Dec. Bride 3, Ed Wynn 6, Zorro 10
8:30—2-Derringer 9, 3-Real McCoy 7, 4-Could be You 4, Derringer 2, Phil Silvers 3, Could Be You 6, Real McCoys 10
9:00—2-Zane Grey 9, 3-Chevy Show 7, 4-Closed Doors 4, 5-Wrestling 5, Zane Grey 2, Closed Doors 3, Closed Doors 6, Chevy Show 10
9:30—2-Playhouse 90 9, 3-Rough Riders 7, 4-Ford Show 4, Playhouse 90 2, Playhouse 90 3, Ford Show 6, Playhouse 90 10
10:00—3-Frontier Dr. 7, 4-Groucho Marx 4, Groucho Marx 6
10:30—3-J. Daly News 7, 4-Masq'ade P'ty 4, Masq'ade P'ty 6
10:45—3-News, Spts. 7
11:00—2-11 P.M. Report 9, 3-Walter W'chell 7, 4-News 4, 5-News, Movie 5, News 2, News, Sports 3, News 6, News 10
11:15—2-Late Show 9, 4-Weather, Spts. 4, Gateway Studio 2, Jack Paar 3, Diamond Th'tre 6, Weath. Movie 10
11:30—3-F'w That Man 7, 4-Jack Paar 4
12:00—3-Jungle 7
12:45— T'ght for Day 10
1:00—2-Meditations 9, 4-Inspiration 4, News, Theatre 2

Keeping Up With Hollywood

by Louella Parsons

HOLLYWOOD—I must say it is a happy, and flattering, Christmas for Audie Murphy because he has been personally selected by director John Huston and producer Jim Hill to replace Richard Burton in "The Unforgiven." The reason Burton is out is that he was asking too much money—or so I hear. So, with Audie available for loan out from Universal - International, Huston grabbed him.

This isn't just an idle choice on Huston's part. Years ago he made the controversial "Red Badge of Courage" with Audie at MGM and he admires him very much as an actor.

The company headed by Burt Lancaster, Audrey Hepburn, John Saxon and Lillian Gish takes off for Mexico on the 10th of January where "The Unforgiven" will be filmed.

I don't know who it is, but someone has been trying to sell a script, "Witchcraft", with the idea of starring Linda Christian. We heard a story that she is to get $60,000 and 10 per cent of the profits. It is very hard for me to believe, but there might be something to it since the rumor has been repeated several times.

You would be surprised at the deluge of letters from Tyrone Power's friends and fans that have poured in, protesting any picture for Linda after just a single line in one of the trade papers. So many of Ty's close friends and admirers are bitter against Linda, and feel as "Baby" Pignatari did when he had placards made saying, "GO HOME, LINDA."

The casting of Jimmy Stewart and Lana Turner for "Anatomy of Murder" is now definite according to Otto Preminger. He says production starts March 16, and Lana will play Laura Manion, and Jimmy plays the attorney, Paul Beigler. The book "Anatomy of Murder" stood at the top of the best-seller list for a long, long time. It's by Robert Traver, whose real name is John Voelker.

Speaking of "Anatomy of Murder," Ray Stark and his partner, Eliot Hyman, are not out in the cold by any means. They receive $175,000 cash and 25 per cent of the profits. This was the deal made to keep Stark and Hyman from suing and tieing up in litigation the novel which has so many readers.

In this day and age when people are so full of woes and troubles, it was wonderful to hear Jayne Mansfield say over the telephone (45 minutes after her son Miklos was born), "I know I'm the happiest girl in the world."

Television and Radio

by John Crosby

Burma Bromide

"'The Hasty Heart' (it says here in a press release) is the touching and humorous story of Lachie, a proud and unapproachable Scot sergeant, confined to a British hospital near the Assam-Burma front in World War II. Margaret, a pretty nurse, and five soldiers in her ward try to make friends with standoffish Scotsman who, everyone but Lachie knows, has only a few weeks to live."

I'm afraid that's a terribly accurate summation of just what transpired. The only thing it omits is that it took ninety minutes which is an awfully long time for the cast and the rest of us to choke back our tears. The November show of the month, incidentally, was "The Winslow Boy" in which Frederic March, Florence Eldredge and Siobhan McKenna kept up a stiff upper lip over the unjust disgrace of a schoolboy for most of ninety minutes, their voices breaking into a quaver, only occasionally.

Both are vintage Broadway successes; both are of the same mean level of sentimentality; both are full safe (which is the opposite of half safe) in the sense that you can hardly attack either of them unless you are prepared to come out against motherhood and the flag, too. And both the plays, I think, are a bit dull.

The way things are going you'd swear that any day now DuPont would revive "What Every Woman Knows" and by George, you'd be right. That'll be the next one. Not that there's anything really bad about any of these. The Show of the Month is a splendid thing to look forward to, what with television being in the awful state it is. There's still magic in those words "live from New York" which are heard so very seldom any more. But, gosh, fellas, I don't ask that you do anything so bold as "Cat On a Hot Tin Roof" which is only fit for the little art houses like Radio City Music Hall where it just played, but couldn't you maybe be daring enough to do "Street Scene" which comes out four-square against tenements?

"The Hasty Heart" opens with a crew of rough-tongued but golden-hearted soldier patients in a Burmese hospital, chaffing one another in their, rough-tongued but golden-hearted way. One of the men (Jackie Cooper) is an American known by an odd coincidence as Yank, an Aussie (Richard Harris) yclept Digger, a Briton called Tommy—jove, what an apt name!—and a New Zealander tagged Kiwi. Not only are they impaled with those names but they are all so confoundedly American or Australian or British or New Zealand that you want to kick them.

Into this tight little group strides a dour Scot named Lachlen McLachlen who rebuffs all efforts to be friendly with words like: "I dinna like to have things done for me . . . I place little value on talking for naught . . . I dinna need companionship." And like that.

Against this rudeness under which you sense (if they didn't spell it out for you in lights) a lonely boy, Barbara Bel Geddes plays a nurse who smiles tremulously and softly pleads and is so utterly angelic that I wanted to stick a pin in her to see if she bled blood or perhaps honey. Well, sir, they work on this dour old Scot in their rough-hewn but good-hearted way and what finally does him in is his birthday. As a birthday present, the patients team up and give him a whole complete outfit of plaids, kilts and all, and he comes unglued. And I came unglued. And Barbara Bel Geddes came unglued and the whole DuPont family, I guess, cried its little eyes out.

After that the Scot unbent to the point where he was actually giving cigarets away and just throwing himself around in the most nauseous way. Pretty soon, he and his Geddes fell to nuzzling each other. I have no intention of pursuing the plot to its conclusion beyond telling you it was sticky.

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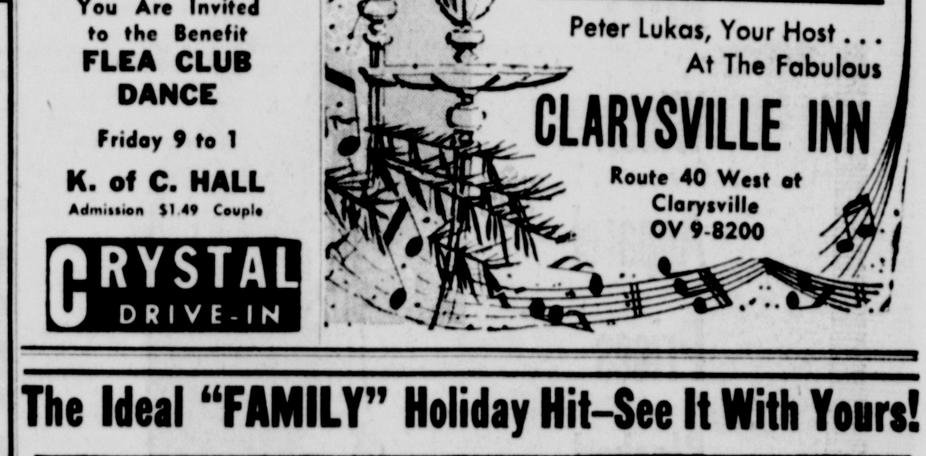

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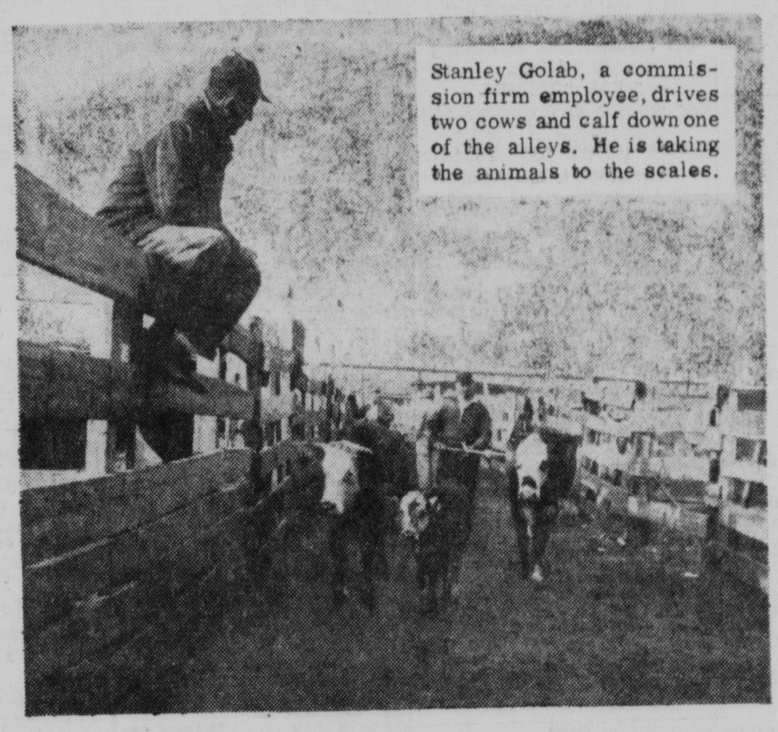

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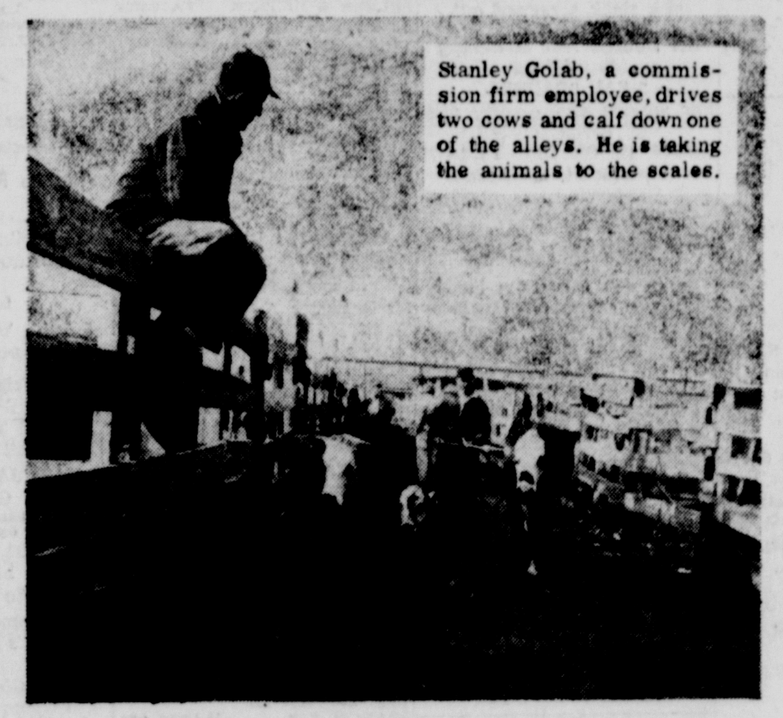

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There's a Catch to It

By FRANK KUCHIRCHUK
Central Press Writer

"A PRIME FAVORITE with a multitude of fishermen, the sailfish is the billfish easiest to catch and usually the first large fish taken by most budding big game anglers. This fish's leaping, skittering acrobatics after it is hooked are spectacular enough to excite the most experienced sportsman," says Edward C. Migdalski in his new book, "Salt Water Game Fishes."

A sail's speed is about 68 miles an hour and it is considered one of the gamest fish in existence. The sail is the leading sport fish in Florida. Average weight is approximately 50 pounds, although some are found over the 100-pound class. Its cousin, the Pacific sail, averages 100 pounds and surpasses the 200-pound mark.

Migdalski goes into detail about fishes' habits, and gives scientific data in layman's language. He also mentions where this fish is found throughout the world, where its favorite fishing grounds are, and gives details on how the angler can catch one, what bait, line and tackle to use and whether they are edible.

Information such as this on all the game fishes of the Atlantic as well as the Pacific makes this one of the most interesting books on fishing published in a long time.

In addition to being an enthusiastic fisherman, Migdalski is ichthyologist at the Bingham oceanographic laboratory at Yale. He has taken part in fishing expeditions all over the world.

Yesterday's Results

TROPICAL PARK

1—Summer Storm, J. Block 97.60, 23.30, 16; Melody Magic, J. Culmone 3, 2.70; Farotol, L. Adams 6.10.

2—Concord, R. Fairholm 18.50, 12.80, 6.20; Killdee, M. Kay 14.50, 10.30; Risk Again, J. Johnson 6.70.

DAILY DOUBLE — Summer Storm and Concord (2-3) paid $642.70.

CONSOLATION DOUBLE — Summer Storm and Otomana (scratched) (2-9) paid $46.50.

3—a-Chipp's Jill, J. Johnson 6.60, 3.20, 3.40; Miss Telephone, F. Sheppard 3.30, 3; a-Florann, R. L. Barnett 3.40.

a—Withers & Ethel Farrisand Florann Stable entry.

4—Byafleet, C. Stone 14.40, 5.80, 4.30; Johnny Scamp, J. Leonard 9.50, 5.50; The Joker, M. Kay 6.50.

5—b-Joe's Master, S. Soirez 6.30, 3.90, 4.30; dq-Countersiege, G. Gibb 6.60, 5.70; b-Act, R. Ussery 4.30.

b—Copolan Stable-P. Fuller entry.

dq—Finished first, disqualified and placed second.

6—Revoque, L. Gilligan 16.70, 5.90, 3.40; Pineapple, F. A. Smith 2.70, 2.20; Dark Glove, L. C. Cook 2.60.

7—Hubcap, S. Boulmetis 3.80, 2.60, 2.30; Miss J. G., J. Parsons 3.70, 3; Morrie A., H. Cruz 2.70.

8—Sob Singer, W. Blum 6.90, 3.90, 3.20; Foxing, J. Johnson 10.90, 5.80; Fairmont, R. L. Stevenson 5.20.

9—Bradley, C. Burr 18.30, 7.80, 8.90; dh-Pursuer, R. L. Barnett, 3, 3.70; dh-Arctic Morn, G. Gibb 3.20, 6.10.

dh—Dead heat for second.

Total handle $701,255. Attendance 6,996.

CHARLES TOWN

1—Molly M., B. Hewitt 26.20, 13, 5.40; Our Saralee, G. Parker 5.80, 3.60; Papa Jonsey, D. Teague 5.40.

2—Dirce, W. Clark 6.40, 4.40, 4.40; Bold Cuzn, V. Bracciale 5, 3.20; Defenseless, N. Fernicola 12.40.

DAILY DOUBLE — Molly M. and Dirce (5-4) paid $422.60.

3—Olympia Wiz, R. Biamonte 3.20, 2.80, 2.20; Kenya Colony, T. Lattarulo 8.80, 4.40; Maureen F., G. Pappas 3.

4—Fifth Down Red, C. C. Smith 10.40, 4.80, 2.80; Little Sputnic, D. Teague 3.40, 2.40; Moon Rock, F. D. Rivera 3.20.

5—Maid Of Cash, R. Lawless 19, 14.20, 7.20; Grand Refrain, S. Palumbo 10, 6; Alter Ego, J. Kirk 3.20.

6—Condor II, C. C. Smith 18.80, 8, 3.60; Trail Of Gold, R. Gordon 6.20, 2.80; Bobtag, A. Monteiro 2.20.

7—Woody Glen, W. Liddle 10.60, 3.80, 3.20; Andys Beacon, O. Cutshaw 3.20, 2.20; Faros, A. Monteiro 3.40.

8—Ann-Adair, C. Gambardella 7.80, 3.60, 2.40; Doctor Leo, E. Phelps 13.60, 12.40; Cortina, F. D. Rivera 13.40.

Total handle $199,429; Attendance 2,840.

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1—Star Performance, J. Heckmann 4.80, 3.40, 3; Subgal, J. L. Rotz 5.80, 4; Pops Pet, D. Premeaux 18.60.

2—Uncle Pete, T. Donahue 8.40, 4.60, 3.60; Catch Fire, F. Kaelin 9, 5.20; Laura B W, J. R. Adams 3.40.

DAILY DOUBLE—Star Performance and Uncle Pete (3-9) paid $22.60.

3—Heliogold, E. Jenkins 4.20, 3, 2.40; a-Belamber, W. Chambers 2.80, 2.40; Little Bubbles, J. L. Rotz 3.

a—Bishop Stable entry.

4—Three Bobs, D. Madden 13, 7.60, 3.80; Heaven Helpus, T. Donahue 6.40, 3.80; Sky Capers, D. Deroin 3.40.

5—Champ Sorter, R. Littrell 3, 2.80, 2.20; dq-Crown Marble, W. Chambers 2.80, 2.20; Rip Road, H. Hinojosa 2.40.

dq—Finished first but was disqualified and placed second.

6—Fast Pal, J. Heckmann 4.60, 3.40, 3; Sun Tan Miss, C. Meaux 5.20, 3.80; Will This Do, D. Madden 5.

7—Sage Of Alief, L. Hansman 15.40, 8.20, 2.80; Booray, J. Heckmann 4.40, 2.20; a-Grannys First, C. Meaux 2.20.

a—Bishop Stable entry.

8—Veneration, W. Carstens 6.80, 4, 3.20; Bleak, J. R. Adams 4.60, 3.60; Miss Rico, C. Meaux 4.60.

9—Appease Not, J. Heckmann 10, 4, 3; Barachel Bob, D. Madden 4, 3.20; Isayolboy, E. Jenkins 3.80.

Attendance 8,177; total handle $401,104.

Charles Town Entries

There is no racing at Charles Town on Christmas day. The following entries are for Friday, Dec. 26.

FIRST POST 1:00 PES
FIRST—$1,000, cl., 3-y up, about 4½ f.

Running K.	115	xAdmiral Al	112
Lowell	123	Noble Maje	112
Medal Man	117	Verey Light	120
xBroom Party	118	Blue Bar	120
xSpherical	107	Stolen First	117
Sis-King	117	Jolly Jim	114
Peggy Prim	120	Living Far	119
xBonny Deb	111	Super Butch	114

SECOND—$1,000, cl., 3-y up, about 7 f.

Royal Restive	116	xFast Melody	111
xCaroline C.	106	Sandal	111
xMountain Fury	106	Monika	117
xFrisky Gloria	108	Rock Gem	113
La Bect	113	Commotion	113
Miss Chasdan	111	xSpecified	114
Has To Be	113	xPiper's Song	108
Irish Yarn	113	Delicious	116

THIRD—$1,200, cl., 3-y up, about 6 f.

Ladd	123	Yes I Will	115
Scramble	120	Pavion	123
Timothemoon	117	Buck's Admiral	117
Peddie	123	Smilestone	117
Gang Me	117	Bee Mirza	117
xSailing Free	112	Better Twenty	120
Peep O'Day	123	Turnstone	120
King Tar	115	Okapette	114

FOURTH—$1,200, cl., 2-y, about 6 f.

Gang Girl	108	Miss Trumps	114
Millie Girl	108	Tahzay	114
Tom's Pal	114	Devil's King	111
Bold Ops	108	Miss Bun	111
Buddy Bryan	114	Cindy N.	108
Mambo Beat	117	Chasing	111
Bobo's Prince	120	Bouair	114
Tutsie	117	Professor Sam	120

FIFTH—$1,500, al., 3-y up, about 4½ f.

xWarsaw	109	One Putt	123
Olay	120	Our Me Me	119
Cleves Dream	123	Stunning Date	117
Santan's Sister	120	Annette G.	120
xSour Note	112	Boston Mamie	114
Tom Paine	123	xElsing Green	114
xBedford Boy	117	Good Proof	117
Postal	123		

SIXTH—$2,000, al., 3-y up, about 7 f.

Pi R Square	112	Dinner Winner	120
Mr. Fleet	115	Miss Macaw	117
Ghan Fleet	115	Big Print	115
a-Nirgo	115	Bubbles Pick	113
Heliaurora	117	a-xMiss Charm	107

a—Carmen Bertazon entry.

SEVENTH—$1,500, cl., 3-y, 1 1/16 m.

Imperial	122	xStrong Bow	111
Duke Ruff	122	xDecree	111
Tubee	116	Picture Wind'w	110
Matinee Doll	110	Guilty Verdict	119
xFreedom Folly	180	xRoute Order	108
Private Mike	116		

EIGHTH—$1,200, cl., 3-y up, 1 1/16 m.

Sun Tony	117	Bachelor Al	123
Bear Ator	117	Big Bruce	117
Lost Time	117	Fearnaught	123
Belldiver	117	Bazaar Goya	117
xW'ged Impulse	109	Arletod	117
Bootlet	117	xPenson	112
Gang Moll	114	Texas Token	123
Rock N Rye	117	xPericlean	109

x—5 lbs. AAC.

The "population clock" in the Bureau of Census in Washington gives the average change in population of the United States as lights show the number of births, the increase in the population and whenever an immigrant enters or an emigrant leaves the U. S.

'LITTLE LEAGUE' FOOTBALL PLANNED—At a news conference in Chicago, the Chicago Cardinals football team announced it will act in an advisory capacity in the promotion of "junior football," to operate nationally in the pattern of baseball's Little Leagues. Some 400 to 800 teams are expected to participate. At the conference Cardinals coach Frank Ivy posed with young players Chuck Huff (left), 11; Phillip Pettie (right), 11, and cheer leader Jeannie Hinkle, also 11.

Tropical Park Entries

FIRST POST 1:30 PES
FIRST—$2,000, cl., 3-y up, 6 f.

Raising Cain	115	xQuest of War	114
Chief Pontiac	115	Noble Song	121
xHarlou	112	Necessity	108
Freedom Boy	113	xWay-Lady	105
Morse Flash	121	xDr. Van Bond	108
Brother Beans	110		

SECOND—$2,000, cl., 3-y up, 6 f.

Summer Blues	112	xDandy Master	114
Phils Task	113	Adormidera	112
xCounter Ch'rge	108	Here Come Joe	115
Knockango	115	True Buckeroo	115
xBuddy	110	Rowdy	115
Fleet Argo	115		

THIRD—$2,100, cl., 4-y up, 5½ f.

Jolly Joker	113	Hunters Run	119
Maitre De	119	Rhoda May	116
Tattiebogle	113	xSlash	114
Sugar Dad	113	xGinger C.	111

FOURTH—$2,300, cl., 3 & 4 y, 1 1/16 m.

xWillys Pal	103	Rico Bronco	113
Sun Red	112	Lot O'Heart	112
Camden	113	Hush Man	112
Credit	109	Pinery	119

FIFTH—$2,400, cl., 2-y, 6 f.

xBlind Fury	103	Nemrud Dagh	111
Dainty Lady	111	Red Coral	111
Rosy Inning	105	Getahead	114
Interrogation	114	Bobamar	111
Nizami Gal	111	xShellvick	103
Champ B.	111	Royal Birth	111
Flight Request	109	Sudden Lamar	114

SIXTH—$2,400, cl., 3-y up, 6 f.

xEternal Mark	109	Revara	112
a-xLady Ponder	104	Ambor Reigh	114
xDusty Tiger	112	Brother Coon	114
Nivrag	117	a-Trianon	112
xRare Music	109	Night Mission	117

a—Weiss and A. Giordano entry.

SEVENTH—$2,500, op. cl., 3-y up, 1 1/16 m.

Chris Cross	119	Mount Jay	113
Paula's Tex	119	Omer	119
Bomb Boo	119	Hyient	116
xOld Roman	111	Arrant Bully	119
Bayluc	119	Imagem	119

EIGHTH—$10,000, added. The Christmas Handicap, 3-y up, 1⅛ m.

a-Indian Creek	111	a-Air Pilot	118
The Great Man	110	Nah Hiss	111
Picks Choice	105	My Night Out	117
Little Porter	106	Innishowen	116
World Over	106	Hoop Band	124

a—Ada Rice entry.

NINTH—$2,100, cl., 3-y up, 1⅛ m.

xOil Boom	106	General Jay	115
Ocala Gal	112	Sea Trial	113
Stout Built	111	Bactria	115
a-Vehicle	111	a-Polkachita	108
Air Out	111	xGala Rock	111
Montana	111		

a—Greathouse-McMahaon Jr.-Carwardine entry.

x—5 lbs. AAC.

Today's Selections

TROPICAL PARK:
By The Associated Press

1—Harlou, Morse Flash, Freedom Boy.
2—Knockango, Adormidera, Fleet Argo.
3—Tattiebogle, Maitre De, Hunters Run.
4—Pinery, Rico Bronco, Camden.
5—Nizami Gal, Flight Request, Interrogation.
6—Night Mission, Nivrag, Trianon.
7—Bayluc, Paula's Tex, Imagem.
8—Hoop Band, My Night Out, Air Pilot.
9—Montana, Bactria, Oil Boom.

BEST BET: Hoop Band.

FAIR GROUNDS:
By The Associated Press

1—Touraine, Illuminate, What A Step.
2—Shape Up, Recipe, It Pays.
3—Tackme, Court Cool, Doo Dee Woo.
4—Montparnasse, Sabertooth, Quiet Boy.
5—Beau Fils, Night Shopper, Phar In Front.
6—Bobby Rit, Chilly Co-ed, Restful.
7—Side Wheel, Kakuza Ridge, Norrsken.
8—Fanciful Miss, Shoerullah, Gunrod.
9—Ramification, Special Choice, Smackover.

BEST BET: Beau Fils.

(The following AP selections are for Friday, Dec. 26.)

CHARLES TOWN
By The Associated Press

1—Broom Party, Lowell, Admiral Al.
2—Mas To Be, Rock Gem, Royal Restive.
3—Pavion, Scramble, Peddie.
4—Buddy Bryan, Miss Trumps, Tom's Pal.
5—Olay, One Putt, Cleve's Dream.
6—Dinner Winner, Nirgo, Ghan Fleet.
7—Freedom's Folly, Guilty Verdict, Duke Ruff.
8—Sun Tony, Bootlet, Belldiver.

BEST BET: Dinner Winner.

Fair Grounds Entries

FIRST POST 2:45 PES
FIRST—$2,000, cl., 3-y up, 6 f.

xManda's Gal	105	xTorendon	107
Bounty	112	xTate	105
Touraine	118	Black Charger	112
Flying Fleet	112	xSealed Bid	104
Swivet	112	Overland	118
Illuminate	113	Eburone	116
What A Step	118	Legate	118
Baby Brier	112	xJava Girl	102
Naval Strategy	112	Irrisor	112

SECOND—$2,000, cl., 2-y, 6 f.

Recipe	113	Gay Widow	110
Frazer King	110	xMiss Noemis	108
It Pays	110	Trip	117
Threeo Threeco	110	Taffy Ann	113
Forbidden Fruit	110	Shape Up	113
xChrysalis	105	xHum	108
Foxy Rascal	110	Meda Passes	110
Faithful Hill	113	xDevil's Brook	102
xScarlet Sands	102	Joe's Favor	110

THIRD—$2,000, cl., 3 & 4 y maidens, 6 f.

Kitchen Talk	117	Lastanleast	117
Doo Wee Woo	114	Livealittle	119
Mister Storm	117	Road To Rome	117
xTackme	112	Connie	117
Black Devil	114	Joyful Rose	114
Sky Talon	114	Frank K.	117
Spearman	119	Blueruth	114
xAdios Cue	109	xNewsman	112
Concourse	117	Court Cool	114

FOURTH—$2,000, cl., 3-y, 1 1/16 m.

Vici Shan	115	Recapture	113
Quiet Boy	118	Mabclar	108
Aethel Play	113	Montparnasse	117
Mike's Request	114	Amber Sands	118
Miss England	111	Blue Brocade	108
Homeland	114	Sabertooth	118

FIFTH—$2,000, cl., 3-y, 6 f.

Night Shopper	114	Jen's Hero	118
Daisys Darling	118	Certainly Red	116
Judge N H.	114	Fourth Attempt	112
Quick Dollar	116	Phar In Front	118
Beau Fils	114		

SIXTH—$2,200, al., 2-y, 1 1/16 m.

Chally	116	Chilly Co-Ed	113
La Forza	110	Master Pat	116
Mr. F. W.	116	xBobby Rit	115
Speedy Glow	116	Pacific Jeep	113
Quibay	116	Restful	116

SEVENTH—$2,100, cl., 3-y up, 6 f.

Gay Baron	119	Norrsken	117
a-Mambo Man	115	Joyrin	111
Kakuza Ridge	117	Col's Trouble	115
xOcean Gem	111	xBetsy T.	109
Side Wheel	115	a-Jet Mark	115
Scarlet Mon	115		

a—Bishop Stable entry.

EIGHTH—$5,000, The Christmas Handicap, 3-y up, 6 f.

Fanciful Miss	111	Shoerullah	117
Jujitsu	109	Pearl Prince	112
a-Pete's Folly	114	a-Safe Message	112
Gunrod	115	On The Job	112

a—Bishop Stable entry.

NINTH—$2,000, cl., 3-y up, 1 1/16 m.

Smackover	118	Okie Dokie	109
a-Concentrator	112	Look Alive	112
Ximenez	112	Star Chac	112
b-Special Choice	121	Lone Desert	112
Ramification	112	Jet Liner	109
King Of Chi	115	b-xPost Morton	107
Cordette	106	a-Bristol Joe	112

a—Gibson entry.
b—Landy entry.
x—5 lbs. AAC.

Yesterday's Scratches

CHARLES TOWN

1—Bonny Deb, Sugar Pie, Day's Hero, Vi-Vi's Quest, Hypo Boston, Skyree.
2—Fresh Day, Blue India, Mr. F. B., Boston Reward, Opozo, Turnstone.
3—Brudou, Hopalong John, Beaulon, Halcyon Chance, Gang Me, Anette.
4—Royal Stork, Reluctant, Tutsie, Blenheim Boy, Bobo's Prince, Winners Badge.
5—Balique, Osceola, Skyline, Bedford Boy, Piu Pena, King Tar.
6—Beau Rocks, Cartier.
7—Mighty Bout.
8—Route Order, Frivolette, Cherry Branch, Diamond Ned, Hero's Prince.

TROPICAL PARK

1—Natalie, Lady Destroyer, Fair Triumph, Gleeful Miss, Blind Fury, Short Duchess.
2—Nirgal Lad, Metric, Sun Fleet, Bunucha, Bull Curtain, Roseardan, Otomana.
5—Apple Spy, Kim Kan.
6—Can Trust, Persia, Mighty Proud.
7—Fleet Contessa, Dr. Joe Kay, Searching Wind, Sahanna.
9—Olleros, French Legion, Gala-Pierre, Bon-Ru-Mar, Stout Built, Montana.

FAIR GROUNDS

2—Java Girl, Fuente, Norma's Star, Irrisor.
3—Good Gesture, Joe Delille.
4—Marlow, Exception, Blue Colonel, Quick Dollar, Bonaparte.
6—Concerna, Out Sail, Chally, Keep Em Happy, Chilly Co-Ed.
7—Pripoly.
8—French General.
9—No Defeat, Varus, Mt. Eden.

MILAN, Italy (UPI)—An exploding sewer near Europe's tallest reinforced concrete building touched off a scare in this busy industrial city Saturday night and halted traffic for blocks.

Newton's Law Of Gravity Questioned

By ALTON BLAKESLEE
Associated Press Science Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — Newton's famous law of gravity seems to break down over vast distances in space, a noted astrophysicist suggests.

If true, this means Einstein's general theory of relativity has to be chucked out, declares Dr. Fritz Zwicky of the California Institute of Technology.

It would also change some theories about how the universe began, he writes in Astronautics, published by the American Rocket Society, out Tuesday.

Dr. Zwicky reports evidence Newton's law may not apply to great galaxies, composed of billions of stars, when galaxies are more than five million light years apart.

A light year is the distance light travels in a year at a speed of 186,300 miles a second. One light year thus is about 6,000 billion miles.

Galaxy groups more than five million light years apart seem to have much too weak if any gravitational pull or influence on each other, from new evidence, says Dr. Zwicky.

Newton's law says every particle in the universe attracts every other particle with a force varying inversely as the square of their mutual distance, and directly according to the mass of the attracting particles.

Gravity does apply in this manner to the sun and earth and star families relatively close to us.

Clues that the law is repealed over vast distances came from new studies of distant galaxies.

There are millions, or billions, of galaxies in the universe. Our own Milky Way contains perhaps 100 billion stars, of which our own sun is merely one star.

The clustering of galaxies might be expected to be unlimited on mathematical and other grounds, Dr. Zwicky explains. But his studies indicate there is a limit to the size and number of clusters.

If Newton's law held universally, one would also expect to find galaxies forming into clusters due to mutual attraction. But they don't seem to form clusters.

He finds that 10,000 galaxy clusters are distributed randomly and uniformly over the sky "as if they were completely noninteracting objects" scoffing at the law of gravity.

French Airliner Falls

VIENNA (AP)—An Air France passenger plane en route here from Munich crashed near Schwadorf about 10 miles south of Vienna Wednesday in a rain storm.

Casualties were not reported immediately. About 25 passengers and a crew of six were reported aboard.

U.S. Loan To India

WASHINGTON (AP) — India Wednesday received a 100-million-dollar loan from the United States. The money is to be used to expand India's railway system, develop electrical power, and provide steel and machinery for the country's economic development program.

Manatees, popularly known as sea cows, created the ancient illusion that there are such things as mermaids. They are found around the West Indies and weigh as much as a ton.

Doctors In The House:

Four Physicians Elected To Seats In 86th Congress

Four physicians will be members of the 86th Congress, which convenes in January, according to an article in the recent issue of the AMA News, a publication of the American Medical Association.

Two of the four physician-Congressmen are from neighboring Pennsylvania. There were five doctors in the 85th Congress. One of them, who was defeated for re-election, came from West Virginia.

One doctor, Rep. Thomas Morgan, Fredericktown, Pa., Democrat, is in line to become chairman of the House Foreign Affairs Committee. He will be the first physician to head the committee since it began in 1822. Rep. Walter H. Judd, M. D., Minneapolis, Minn., a Republican, also is a member of the committee.

The other two physicians in Congress, both in the House, are Dr. Ivor Fenton, Mahoney City, Pa., Republican, re-elected, and Dr. Dale Alford, Little Rock, Ark., Democrat, a new member.

Defeated for re-election were Drs. Will Neal of West Virginia and A. L. Miller of Nebraska, both Republicans. Dr. Neal had served on the health subcommittee of the House Interstate Committee and Dr. Miller on District of Columbia and Interior and Insular Affairs Committees.

Another physician, Dr. Louise O. Wensel, Fishersville, Va., failed to beat Sen. Harry F. Byrd but her 113,000 votes represented biggest opposition that the veteran Virginia politician has ever encountered.

Dr. Wensel limited her medical practice to two days a week to make the campaign and drew a strict line between medicine and politics, refusing to pose with a doctor's bag for a campaign picture. Before the election she said the campaign had been worthwhile whether she won or lost.

Dr. Alford, 42, filed as a write-in candidate only eight days before the election and defeated Rep. Brooks Hays by some 1,500 votes. Hays was seeking his ninth term.

The call to public office answered a strong sense of duty which will prove a financial sacrifice to the Little Rock ophthalmologist. He'll turn his practice over to an associate.

Dr. Alford is a member of the Little Rock Board of Education, was a lay delegate this year to the triennial convention of the Episcopal Church in the U. S., and has been president of the Arkansas State Opera Assn.

Psychologists Tell Why People Give Presents

NEWARK, N. J. (AP)—A group of Rutgers University psychologists have made a study of Christmas giving and their conclusions are hardly fit listening at this time of the year.

Really sincere, pure - hearted gifts are few, they say.

The psychologists—Drs. George H. Smith, Eileen M. Hetherington and William D. Wells—found seven types of gifts which do not go with the holiday spirit. They are:

1. The display gift—This lends prestige to the giver who, in the words of Dr. Hetherington, says in effect: "Look what I can buy?".

2. The squelch gift—For those who delight in catching people off guard. Dr. Wells says this type is often given at the last minute to someone not expecting it so he cannot reciprocate. Or, it's given to someone who cannot afford to return the compliment.

3. The placating gift—once given to kings to win their favor and now presented to mothers-in-law to quiet them.

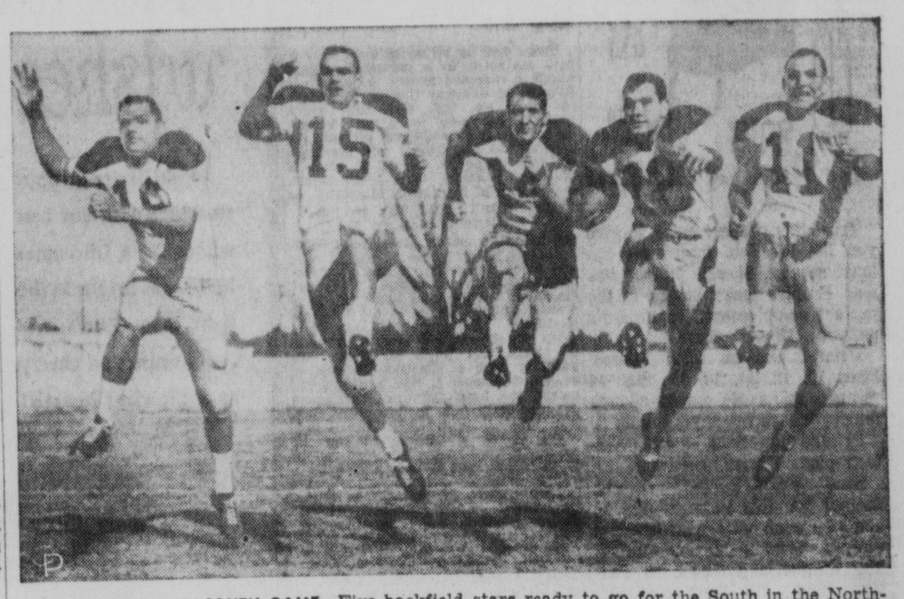
4. Guilt gifts—Given, according to Dr. Smith, by parents who "are not able to give emotional love but instead lavish their children with costly items at Christmas to make up for this."

5. Extorted gifts—Paid for with office collections and the subject of "considerable resentment," according to Dr. Wells.

6. Duty gifts — Neckties and handkerchiefs "tendered to someone you don't really care about but toward whom you feel you have a duty," says Dr. Hetherington.

7. The creative gift—Elaborately packaged, "one which takes longer to wrap than to buy," in the words of Dr. Hetherington.

FROM THE Suzy Perette holiday collection is this dress of black moire with a moulded bodice. The skirt puffs out in sculpted folds above a flat hemband, center-marked with an oversized bow.



READY FOR NORTH-SOUTH GAME—Five backfield stars ready to go for the South in the North-South game in Miami December 27 work out under the Florida sun. From left are Don Brown, Houston; Joe DeLany, Georgia Tech; Bobby Renn, Florida State; Billy Stacy, Mississippi State, and King Dixon, South Carolina. North stars include Pete Dawkins, the Army All-American.

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There's a Catch to It

By FRANK KUCHIRCHUK
Central Press Writer

"A PRIME FAVORITE with a multitude of fishermen, the sailfish is the billfish easiest to catch and usually the first large fish taken by most budding big game anglers. This fish's leaping, skittering acrobatics after it is hooked are spectacular enough to excite the most experienced sportsman," says Edward C. Migdalski in his new book, "Salt Water Game Fishes."

A sail's speed is about 68 miles an hour and it is considered one of the gamest fish in existence. The sail is the leading sport fish in Florida. Average weight is approximately 50 pounds, although some are found over the 100-pound class. Its cousin, the Pacific sail, averages 100 pounds and surpasses the 200-pound mark.

Migdalski goes into detail about fishes' habits, and gives scientific data in layman's language. He also mentions where this fish is found throughout the world, where its favorite fishing grounds are, and gives details on how the angler can catch one, what bait, line and tackle to use and whether they are edible.

Information such as this on all the game fishes of the Atlantic as well as the Pacific makes this one of the most interesting books on fishing published in a long time.

In addition to being an enthusiastic fisherman, Migdalski is ichthyologist at the Bingham oceanographic laboratory at Yale. He has taken part in fishing expeditions all over the world.

Yesterday's Results

TROPICAL PARK

1—Summer Storm, J. Block 97.60, 23.30, 16; Melody Magic, J. Culmone 3, 2.70; Farotol, L. Adams 6.10.

2—Concord, R. Fairbolm 18.50, 12.80, 6.20; Killdee, M. Kay 14.50, 10.30; Risk Again, J. Johnson 6.70.

DAILY DOUBLE — Summer Storm and Concord (2-3) paid $642.70.

CONSOLATION DOUBLE — Summer Storm and Otomana (scratched) (2-9) paid $46.50.

3—a-Chipp's Jill, J. Johnson 6.60, 3.20, 3.40; Miss Telephone, F. Sheppard 3.30, 3; a-Florann, R. L. Barnett 3.40.

a—Withers & Ethel Farrisand Florann Stable entry.

4—Byafleet, C. Stone 14.40, 5.80, 4.30; Johnny Scamp, J. Leonard 9.50, 5.50; The Joker, M. Kay 6.50.

5—b-Joe's Master, S. Soirez 6.30, 3.90, 4.30; dq-Countersiege, G. Gibb 6.60, 5.70; b-Act, R. Ussery 4.30.

b—Copolan Stable-P. Fuller entry.

dq—Finished first, disqualified and placed second.

6—Revoque, L. Gilligan 16.70, 5.90, 3.40; Pineapple, F. A. Smith 2.70, 2.20; Dark Glove, L. C. Cook 2.60.

7—Hubcap, S. Boulmetis 3.80, 2.60, 2.30; Miss J. G., J. Parsons 3.70, 3; Morrie A., H. Cruz 2.70.

8—Sob Singer, W. Blum 6.90, 3.90, 3.20; Foxing, J. Johnson 10.90, 5.80; Fairmont, R. L. Stevenson 5.20.

9—Bradley, C. Burr 18.30, 7.80, 8.90; dh-Pursuer, R. L. Barnett, 3, 3.70; dh-Arctic Morn, G. Gibb 3.20, 6.10.

dh—Dead heat for second.

Total handle $701,255. Attendance 6,996.

CHARLES TOWN

1—Molly M., B. Hewitt 26.20, 13, 5.40; Our Saralee, G. Parker 5.80, 3.80; Papa Jonsey, D. Teague 5.40.

2—Dirce, W. Clark 6.40, 4.40, 4.40; Bold Cuzn, V. Bracciale 5, 5.20; Defenseless, N. Fernicola 12.40.

DAILY DOUBLE — Molly M. and Dirce (5-4) paid $422.60.

3—Olympia Wiz, R. Biamonte 3.20, 2.80, 2.20; Kenya Colony, T. Lattarulo 8.80, 4.40; Maureen F., G. Pappas 3.

4—Fifth Down Red, C. C. Smith 10.40, 4.80, 2.80; Little Sputnic, D. Teague 3.40, 2.40; Moon Rock, F. D. Rivera 3.20.

5—Maid Of Cash, R. Lawless 19, 14.20, 7.20; Grand Refrain, S. Palumbo 10, 6; Alter Ego, J. Kirk 3.20.

6—Condor II, C. C. Smith 18.80, 8, 3.60; Trail Of Gold, R. Gordon 6.20, 2.80; Bobtag, A. Monteiro 2.20.

7—Woody Glen, W. Liddle 10.60, 3.80, 3.20; Andys Beacon, O. Cutshaw 3.20, 2.20; Faros, A. Monteiro 3.40.

8—Ann-Adair, C. Gambardella 7.80, 3.60, 2.40; Doctor Leo, E. Phelps 13.60, 12.40; Cortina, F. D. Rivera 13.40.

Total handle $199,429; Attendance 2,840.

FAIR GROUNDS

1—Star Performance, J. Heckmann 4.80, 3.40, 3; Subgal, J. L. Rotz 5.80, 4; Pops Pet, D. Premeaux 18.60.

2—Uncle Pete, T. Donahue 8.40, 4.60, 3.60; Catch Fire, F. Kaelin 9, 5.20; Laura B W, J. R. Adams 3.40.

DAILY DOUBLE—Star Performance and Uncle Pete (3-9) paid $22.60.

3—Heliogold, E. Jenkins 4.20, 3, 2.40; a-Belamber, W. Chambers 2.80, 2.40; Little Bubbles, J. L. Rotz 3.

a—Bishop Stable entry.

4—Three Bobs, D. Madden 13, 7.60, 3.80; Heaven Helpus, T. Donahue 6.40, 3.80; Sky Capers, D. Deroin 3.40.

5—Champ Sorter, R. Littrell 5, 2.80, 2.20; dq-Crown Marbie, W. Chambers 2.80, 2.20; Rip Road, H. Hinojosa 2.40.

dq—Finished first but was disqualified and placed second.

6—Fast Pal, J. Heckmann 4.60, 3.40, 3; Sun Tan Miss, C. Meaux 5.20, 3.80; Will This Do, D. Madden 3.

7—Sage Of Alief, L. Hansman 15.40, 8.20, 2.80; Booray, J. Heckmann 4.40, 2.20; a-Grannys First, C. Meaux 2.20.

a—Bishop Stable entry.

8—Veneration, W. Carstens 6.80, 4, 3.20; Bleak, J. R. Adams 4.60, 3.60; Miss Rico, C. Meaux 4.60.

9—Appease Not, J. Heckmann 10, 4, 3; Barachel Bob, D. Madden 4, 3.20; Isayolboy, E. Jenkins 3.80.

Attendance 8,177; total handle $401,104.

Tropical Park Entries

FIRST POST 1:30 PES

FIRST—$2,000, cl., 3-y up, 6 f.

Raising Cain	115	xQuest of War	114
Chief Pontiac	115	Noble Song	121
xHarlou	112	Necessity	108
Freedom Boy	113	xWay-Lady	105
Morse Flash	121	xDr. Van Bond	108
Brother Beans	110		

SECOND—$2,000, cl., 3-y up, 6 f.

Summer Blues	112	xDandy Master	114
Phils Task	113	Adormidera	112
xCounter Ch'rge	108	Here Come Joe	115
Knockango	115	True Buckeroo	115
xBuddy	110	Rowdy	115
Fleet Argo	115		

THIRD—$2,100, cl., 4-y up, 5½ f.

Jolly Joker	113	Hunters Run	119
Maitre De	119	Rhoda May	116
Tattiebogle	113	xSlash	114
Sugar Dad	113	xGinger C.	111

FOURTH—$2,300, cl., 3 & 4 y, 1 1/16 m.

xWillys Pal	103	Rico Bronco	113
Sun Red	112	Lot O'Heart	112
Camden	113	Hush Man	112
Credit	109	Pinery	119

FIFTH—$2,400, cl., 2-y, 6 f.

xBlind Fury	103	Nemrud Dagh	111
Dainty Lady	111	Red Coral	111
Rosy Inning	105	Getahead	114
Interrogation	114	Bobamar	111
Nizami Gal	111	xShellvick	103
Champ B.	111	Royal Birth	111
Flight Request	109	Sudden Lamar	114

SIXTH—$2,400, cl., 3-y up, 6 f.

xEternal Mark	109	Revara	112
a-xLady Ponder	104	Ambor Reigh	114
xDusty Tiger	112	Brother Coon	114
Nivrag	117	a-Trianon	112
xRare Music	109	Night Mission	117

a—Weiss and A. Giordano entry.

SEVENTH—$2,500, op. cl., 3-y up, 1 1/16 m.

Chris Cross	119	Mount Jay	113
Paula's Tex	119	Omer	119
Bomb Boo	119	Hyient	116
xOld Roman	111	Arrant Bully	119
Baylue	119	Imagem	119

EIGHTH—$10,000, added, The Christmas Handicap, 3-y up, 1⅛ m.

a-Indian Creek	111	a-Air Pilot	118
The Great Man	110	Nah Hiss	111
Picks Choice	105	My Night Out	117
Little Porter	106	Innishowen	116
World Over	106	Hoop Band	124

a—Ada Rice entry.

NINTH—$2,100, cl., 3-y up, 1⅛ m.

xOil Boom	106	General Jay	115
Ocala Gal	112	Sea Trial	113
Stout Built	111	Bactria	115
a-Vehicle	111	a-Polkachita	108
Air Out	111	xGala Rock	111
Montana	111		

a—Greathouse-McMahaon Jr.-Carwardine entry.

x—5 lbs. AAC.

Today's Selections

TROPICAL PARK:
By The Associated Press

1—Harlou, Morse Flash, Freedom Boy.
2—Knockango, Adormidera, Fleet Argo.
3—Tattiebogle, Maitre De, Hunters Run.
4—Pinery, Rico Bronco, Camden.
5—Nizami Gal, Flight Request, Interrogation.
6—Night Mission, Nivrag, Trianon.
7—Bayluc, Paula's Tex, Imagem.
8—Hoop Band, My Night Out, Air Pilot.
9—Montana, Bactria, Oil Boom.

BEST BET: Hoop Band.

FAIR GROUNDS:
By The Associated Press

1—Touraine, Illuminate, What A Step.
2—Shape Up, Recipe, It Pays.
3—Tackme, Court Cool, Doo Dee Woo.
4—Montparnasse, Sabertooth, Quiet Boy.
5—Beau Fils, Night Shopper, Phar In Front.
6—Bobby Rit, Chilly Co-ed, Restful.
7—Side Wheel, Kakuza Ridge, Norrsken.
8—Fanciful Miss, Shoerullah, Gunrod.
9—Ramification, Special Choice, Smackover.

BEST BET: Beau Fils.

(The following AP selections are for Friday, Dec. 26.)

CHARLES TOWN
By The Associated Press

1—Broom Party, Lowell, Admiral Al.
2—Mas To Be, Rock Gem, Royal Restive.
3—Pavion, Scramble, Peddie.
4—Buddy Bryan, Miss Trumps, Tom's Pal.
5—Olay, One Putt, Cleve's Dream.
6—Dinner Winner, Nirgo, Ghan Fleet.
7—Freedom's Folly, Guilty Verdict, Duke Ruff.
8—Sun Tony, Bootlet, Belldiver.

BEST BET: Dinner Winner.

Fair Grounds Entries

FIRST POST 2:45 PES

FIRST—$2,000, cl., 3-y up, 6 f.

xManda's Gal	105	xTorendon	107
Bounty	112	xTate	105
Touraine	118	Black Charger	112
Flying Fleet	112	xSealed Bid	104
Swivet	112	Overland	118
Illuminate	113	Eburone	116
What A Step	118	Legate	118
Baby Brier	112	xJava Girl	102
Naval Strategy	112	Irrisor	112

SECOND—$2,000, cl., 2-y, 6 f.

Recipe	113	Gay Widow	110
Frazer King	110	xMiss Noemia	108
It Pays	110	Trip	117
Threeo Threeco	110	Taffy Ann	113
Forbidden Fruit	110	Shape Up	113
xChrysalis	105	xHum	108
Foxy Rascal	110	Meda Passes	110
Faithful Hill	113	xDevil's Brook	102
xScarlet Sands	102	Joe's Favor	110

THIRD—$2,000, cl., 3 & 4 y maidens, 6 f.

Kitchen Talk	117	Lastanleast	117
Doo Wee Woo	114	Livealittle	119
Mister Storm	117	Road To Rome	117
xTackme	112	Connie	117
Black Devil	114	Joyful Rose	114
Sky Talon	114	Frank K.	117
Spearman	119	Blueruth	114
xAdios Cue	109	xNewsman	112
Concourse	117	Court Cool	114

FOURTH—$2,000, cl., 3-y, 1 1/16 m.

Vici Shan	115	Recapture	113
Quiet Boy	118	Mabclar	108
Aethel Play	113	Montparnasse	115
Mike's Request	114	Amber Sands	118
Miss England	111	Blue Brocade	108
Homeland	114	Sabertooth	118

FIFTH—$2,000, cl., 3-y, 6 f.

Night Shopper	114	Jen's Hero	118
Daisys Darling	118	Certainly Red	116
Judge N.H.	114	Fourth Attempt	112
Quick Dollar	116	Phar In Front	118
Beau Fils	114		

SIXTH—$2,200, cl., 2-y, 1 1/16 m.

Chally	116	Chilly Co-Ed	113
La Forza	110	Master Pat	116
Mr. F. W.	116	xBobby Rit	115
Speedy Glow	116	Pacific Jeep	113
Quibay	116	Restful	116

SEVENTH—$2,100, cl., 3-y up, 6 f.

Gay Baron	119	Norrsken	117
a-Mambo Man	115	Joyrin	111
Kakuza Ridge	117	Col's Trouble	115
xOcean Gem	111	xBetay T.	109
Side Wheel	115	a-Jet Mark	115
Scarlet Mon	115		

a—Bishop Stable entry.

EIGHTH—$5,000, The Christmas Handicap, 3-y up, 6 f.

Fanciful Miss	111	Shoerullah	117
Jujitsu	109	Peart Prince	112
a-Pete's Folly	114	a-Safe Message	112
Gunrod	115	On The Job	112

a—Bishop Stable entry.

NINTH—$2,000, cl., 3-y up, 1 1/16 m.

Smackover	118	Okie Dokie	109
a-Concentrator	112	Look Alive	112
Ximenez	112	Star Chac	112
b-Special Choice	121	Lone Desert	112
Ramification	112	Jet Liner	109
King Of Chi	115	b-xPost Morton	107
Cordette	106	a-Bristol Joe	112

a—Gibson entry.
b—Landy entry.
x—5 lbs. AAC.

Yesterday's Scratches

CHARLES TOWN

1—Bonny Deb, Sugar Pie, Day's Hero, Vi-Vi's Quest, Hypo Boston, Skyree. 2—Fresh Day, Blue India, Mr. F. B., Boston Reward, Opozo, Turnstone. 3—Brudou, Hopalong John, Beauion, Halcyon Chance, Gang Me, Anette. 4—Royal Stork, Reluctant, Tutsie, Blenheim Boy, Bobo's Prince, Winners Badge. 5—Balique, Osceola, Skyline, Bedford Boy, Piu Pena, King Tar. 6—Beau Rocks, Cartier. 7—Mighty Bout. 8—Route Order, Frivolette, Cherry Branch, Diamond Ned, Hero's Prince.

TROPICAL PARK

1—Natalie, Lady Destroyer, Fair Triumph, Gleeful Miss, Blind Fury, Short Duchess. 2—Nirgal Lad, Metric, Sun Fleet, Bunucha, Bull Curtain, Roseardan, Otomana. 5—Apple Spy, Kim Kan, 6—Can Trust, Persia, Mighty Proud. 7—Fleet Contessa, Dr. Joe Kay, Searching Wind, Sahanna. 9—Olleros, French Legion, Gala-Pierre, Bon-Ru-Mar, Stout Built, Montana.

FAIR GROUNDS

2—Java Girl, Fuente, Norma's Star, Irrisor. 3—Good Gesture, Joe Delille. 4—Marlow, Exception, Blue Colonel, Quick Dollar, Bonaparte. 6—Concerna, Out Sail, Chally, Keep Em Happy, Chilly Co-Ed. 7—Pripoly. 8—French General. 9—No Defeat, Varus, Mt. Eden.

MILAN, Italy (UPI)—An exploding sewer near Europe's tallest reinforced concrete building touched off a scare in this busy industrial city Saturday night and halted traffic for blocks.

'LITTLE LEAGUE' FOOTBALL PLANNED—At a news conference in Chicago, the Chicago Cardinals football team announced it will act in an advisory capacity in the promotion of "junior football," to operate nationally in the pattern of baseball's Little Leagues. Some 400 to 800 teams are expected to participate. At the conference Cardinals coach Frank Ivy posed with young players Chuck Huff (left), 11; Phillip Pettic (right), 11, and cheer leader Jeannie Hinkle, also 11.

Newton's Law Of Gravity Questioned

By ALTON BLAKESLEE
Associated Press Science Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — Newton's famous law of gravity seems to break down over vast distances in space, a noted astrophysicist suggests.

If true, this means Einstein's general theory of relativity has to be chucked out, declares Dr. Fritz Zwicky of the California Institute of Technology.

It would also change some theories about how the universe began, he writes in Astronautics, published by the American Rocket Society, out Tuesday.

Dr. Zwicky reports evidence Newton's law may not apply to great galaxies, composed of billions of stars, when galaxies are more than five million light years apart.

A light year is the distance light travels in a year at a speed of 186,300 miles a second. One light year thus is about 6,000 billion miles.

Galaxy groups more than five million light years apart seem to have much too weak if any gravitational pull or influence on each other, from new evidence, says Dr. Zwicky.

Newton's law says every particle in the universe attracts every other particle with a force varying inversely as the square of their mutual distance, and directly according to the mass of the attracting particles.

Gravity does apply in this manner to the sun and earth and star families relatively close to us.

Clues that the law is repealed over vast distances came from new studies of distant galaxies.

There are millions, or billions, of galaxies in the universe. Our own Milky Way contains perhaps 100 billion stars, of which our own sun is merely one star.

The clustering of galaxies might be expected to be unlimited on mathematical and other grounds, Dr. Zwicky explains. But his studies indicate there is a limit to the size and number of clusters.

If Newton's law held universally, one would also expect to find galaxies forming into clusters due to mutual attraction. But they don't seem to form clusters.

He finds that 10,000 galaxy clusters are distributed randomly and uniformly over the sky "as if they were completely noninteracting objects" scoffing at the law of gravity.

French Airliner Falls

VIENNA (AP)—An Air France passenger plane en route here from Munich crashed near Schwadorf about 10 miles south of Vienna Wednesday in a rain storm.

Casualties were not reported immediately. About 25 passengers and a crew of six were reported aboard.

U.S. Loan To India

WASHINGTON (AP) — India Wednesday received a 100-million-dollar loan from the United States. The money is to be used to expand India's railway system, develop electrical power, and provide steel and machinery for the country's economic development program.

Manatees, popularly known as sea cows, created the ancient illusion that there are such things as mermaids. They are found around the West Indies and weigh as much as a ton.

Doctors In The House:

Four Physicians Elected To Seats In 86th Congress

Four physicians will be members of the 86th Congress, which convenes in January, according to an article in the recent issue of the AMA News, a publication of the American Medical Association.

Two of the four physician-Congressmen are from neighboring Pennsylvania. There were five doctors in the 85th Congress. One of them, who was defeated for re-election, came from West Virginia.

One doctor, Rep. Thomas Morgan, Frederickstown, Pa., Democrat, is in line to become chairman of the House Foreign Affairs Committee. He will be the first physician to head the committee since it began in 1822. Rep. Walter H. Judd, M. D., Minneapolis, Minn., a Republican, also is a member of the committee.

The other two physicians in Congress, both in the House, are Dr. Ivor Fenton, Mahoney City, Pa., Republican, re-elected, and Dr. Dale Alford, Little Rock, Ark., Democrat, a new member.

Defeated for re-election were Drs. Will Neal of West Virginia and A. L. Miller of Nebraska, both Republicans. Dr. Neal had served on the health subcommittee of the House Interstate Committee and Dr. Miller on District of Columbia and Interior and Insular Affairs Committees.

Another physician, Dr. Louise O. Wensel, Fishersville, Va., failed to beat Sen. Harry F. Byrd but her 113,000 votes represented biggest opposition that the veteran Virginia politician has ever encountered.

Dr. Wensel limited her medical practice to two days a week to make the campaign and drew a strict line between medicine and politics, refusing to pose with a doctor's bag for a campaign picture. Before the election she said the campaign had been worthwhile whether she won or lost.

Dr. Alford, 42, filed as a write-in candidate only eight days before the election and defeated Rep. Brooks Hays by some 1,500 votes. Hays was seeking his ninth term.

The call to public office answered a strong sense of duty which will prove a financial sacrifice to the Little Rock ophthalmologist. He'll turn his practice over to an associate.

Dr. Alford is a member of the Little Rock Board of Education, was a lay delegate this year to the triennial convention of the Episcopal Church in the U. S., and has been president of the Arkansas State Opera Assn.

Psychologists Tell Why People Give Presents

NEWARK, N. J. (AP)—A group of Rutgers University psychologists have made a study of Christmas giving and their conclusions are hardly fit listening at this time of the year.

Really sincere, pure - hearted gifts are few, they say.

The psychologists—Drs. George H. Smith, Eileen M. Hetherington and William D. Wells—found seven types of gifts which do not go with the holiday spirit. They are:

1. The display gift—This lends prestige to the giver who, in the words of Dr. Hetherington, says in effect: "Look what I can buy?".

2. The squelch gift—For those who delight in catching people off guard. Dr. Wells says this type is often given at the last minute to someone not expecting it so he cannot reciprocate. Or, it's given to someone who cannot afford to return the compliment.

3. The placating gift—once given to kings to win their favor and now presented to mothers-in-law to quiet them.

4. Guilt gifts—Given, according to Dr. Smith, by parents who "are not able to give emotional love but instead lavish their children with costly items at Christmas to make up for this."

5. Extorted gifts—Paid for with office collections and the subject of "considerable resentment," according to Dr. Wells.

6. Duty gifts — Neckties and handkerchiefs "tendered to someone you don't really care about but toward whom you feel you have a duty," says Dr. Hetherington.

7. The creative gift—Elaborately packaged, "one which takes longer to wrap than to buy," in the words of Dr. Hetherington.

FROM THE Suzy Perette holiday collection is this dress of black moire with a moulded bodice. The skirt puffs out in sculpted folds above a flat hemband, center-marked with an oversized bow.

The "population clock" in the Bureau of Census in Washington gives the average change in population of the United States as lights show the number of births, the increase in the population and whenever an immigrant enters or an emigrant leaves the U. S.

READY FOR NORTH-SOUTH GAME—Five backfield stars ready to go for the South in the North-South game in Miami December 27 work out under the Florida sun. From left are Don Brown, Houston; Joe DeLany, Georgia Tech; Bobby Renn, Florida State; Billy Stacy, Mississippi State, and King Dixon, South Carolina. North stars include Pete Dawkins, the Army All-American.

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Loses Battles Over Budget

CHARLESTON, W. Va. (UPI)—The "watchdog" of the West Virginia treasury, Auditor Edgar B. Sims, lost two battles in the State Board of Public Works meeting Tuesday when the state government's 1959-60 budget document was approved.

Sims voted for approval of the $108,367,195 budget with "fear and trepidation," after losing an argument regarding the setting up of a $1,262,812 fund for the property revaluation program and failing to win approval of a move to increase funds for the West Virginia Industrial School for Boys at Pruntytown.

The auditor contended the escrow fund was illegal and that the money not spent should revert to the general revenue fund for regular appropriation. State Atty. Gen. W. W. Barron countered the argument with a statement that the Legislature in effect had provided for the fund in the passage of bills setting up the property revaluation program.

"It was wicked legislation, I'd say," Sims retorted.

Sims moved to have $185,800 allocated for athletics at West Virginia University stricken from the document and added to the Industrial School for Boys account.

"It's needed more at that school than at the university to pay for boys traveling around when they should be in school," Sims declared.

The motion died for a lack of a second.

Sims also asked that a covering letter approved by the board to be sent to the Legislature include requests for more money to the treasurer's office, the attorney general's office and the auditor's office. This brought a quick reply from Agriculture Commissioner John T. Johnson.

"If you're going to do that I want my department included," Johnson added. "I've got to have $20,000 more for the 'livestock' tuberculosis program because the federal government is cutting its allocations from 60 to 25 per cent and I need $10,000 more for the oak wilt program."

After a brief pause, Johnson added.

"Anyway, I think it's all covered in the letter where we say if the Legislature can provide additional money we'll talk to them about where it should go."

Then State Treasurer Orel J. Seen added:

"That gives us a chance to do our lobbying with the Legislature."

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by Laura Wheeler

A lovely apron round the house, so practical a coverall — cool for sunning in summer.

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by Marian Martin

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Pest Control for City Properties

Sealed bids, addressed to the Mayor and City Council of Cumberland, Maryland, will be received at the office of the City Clerk, City Hall, Cumberland, Maryland, until 10:00 A. M. January 12, 1959, for Pest Control for the City Dump, City Warehouse, City Hall and Public Safety Building. On said date bids will be opened and read in public meeting of the Mayor and City Council.

The Mayor and City Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF CUMBERLAND
By: JOHN J. LONG,
Commissioner of Streets and Public Property

Adv.—N-T Dec. 24-25-26

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Allegany County, Maryland, letters of administration on the estate of Harry Eugene Kooken, late of Allegany County, Maryland, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof duly authenticated, to the subscriber on or before the 9th day of June, 1959. They may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. All persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Given under my hand this 9th day of December, 1958.

Horace P. Whitworth, Jr.,
Administrator,
Westernport, Md.

Adv.—N Dec. 11-18-25 Jan. 1

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That the subscribers have obtained from the Orphans' Court of Allegany County, Maryland, letters of Administration on the estate of Lester Lee Green, late of Allegany County, Maryland, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof duly authenticated, to the subscriber on or before the 9th day of June, 1959. They may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. All persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Given under our hands this 9th day of December, 1958.

Clay F. Green,
Thelma C. Green,
Administrators,
RFD #1,
Barton, Md.

Adv.—N Dec. 11-18-25 Jan. 1

Morris Baron, Attorney named in Mortgage vs. John H. Twigg, widower. No. 25, 408 Equity. In the Circuit Court, for Allegany County.

ORDER NISI

ORDERED this 9th day of December, 1958, by the Circuit Court for Allegany County, in Equity, that the sale made and reported by Morris Baron, Attorney named in the mortgage filed in this cause, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 10th day of January, 1959; provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper published in Allegany County, once a week for three successive weeks before the 3rd day of January, 1959.

The report states that the amount of sale is $3,550.00.

/s/ Joseph E. Boden
Clerk

TRUE COPY; TEST:
Joseph E. Boden, Clerk
Adv.—N Dec. 11-18-25

ORDER NISI

IN THE MATTER OF THE SALE OF THE REAL ESTATE OF IRENE M. KARNS, DECEASED. IN THE ORPHAN'S COURT OF ALLEGANY COUNTY, MARYLAND.

Ordered this 9th day of December, 1958, by the Orphans' Court of Allegany County, Maryland, that the sale of Real Estate made by James R. Karns and Harold E. Naughton, executors of Irene M. Karns, late of said County and State, deceased, and reported to the Orphans' Court on this 9th day of December, 1958 be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 9th day of January, 1959, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Allegany County, Maryland, once a week for three successive weeks before the 2nd day of January, 1959.

The report states the amount of sale to be $2,000.00.

William C. Abbott
J. French Van Meter
Hugh Stevenson
Judges of the Orphans' Court

True Copy
Test: A. Charles Stewart,
Register of Wills
Adv.—N Dec. 11-18-25

ASSIGNEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE KNOWN AS NO. 152 BOWERY STREET, FROSTBURG, MARYLAND.

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage which is recorded among the Mortgage Records of Allegany County, Maryland, in Liber No. 325, folio 288, which mortgage is now in default in the covenants and conditions thereof, the undersigned Assignee of said Mortgage will sell at public auction in front of the Gunter Hotel, West Main Street, in the City of Frostburg, Maryland, on

SATURDAY, JANUARY 10, 1959,
At 10:30 O'clock, A. M.,

the following lot or parcel of ground:

All that lot or parcel of ground lying and being on Bowery Street in Frostburg, Allegany County, Maryland, known as Lot No. 6 of Block No. 24 of Beall's First Addition to the Town of Frostburg, and being the same property which was conveyed to Bernard O. Finzel and Doris M. Finzel, his wife, by deed of Clarence Chaney, et ux, dated October 8, 1956, and recorded among the Land Records of Allegany County, Maryland, in Liber No. 283, folio 265.

The above lot fronts 50 feet on Bowery Street and runs back for a depth of 150 feet. It is improved by a frame dwelling known as No. 152 Bowery Street, containing four rooms and bath, hot-air furnace, built-in kitchen cabinets, and a full basement with cement floor and toilet.

Terms of Sale: One-third cash on day of sale, and the balance on delivery of a good and sufficient deed to the purchaser. All taxes to be adjusted to the day of sale.

NOEL SPEIR COOK,
Assignee of Mortgage for the purpose of foreclosure.

Adv.—N-Dec. 18-25-Jan. 1-8.

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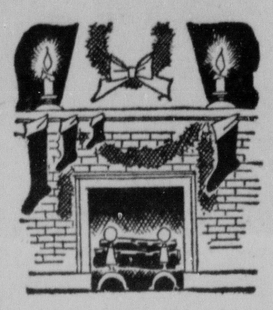

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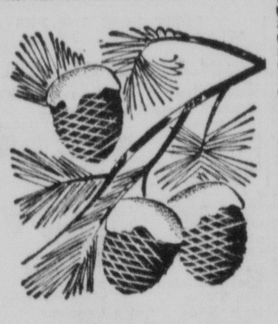

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Harold's Used Cars
McMullen Highway

We sincerely hope that all your wishes for Christmas joy come true!
HEART HOMES
"Vic" Fier and "Mike" Burgess
28 N. Liberty St.

Loses Battles Over Budget

CHARLESTON, W. Va. (UPI)—The "watchdog" of the West Virginia treasury, Auditor Edgar B. Sims, lost two battles in the State Board of Public Works meeting Tuesday when the state government's 1959-60 budget document was approved.

Sims voted for approval of the $108,367,195 budget with "fear and trepidation," after losing an argument regarding the setting up of a $1,262,812 fund for the property revaluation program and failing to win approval of a move to increase funds for the West Virginia Industrial School for Boys at Pruntytown.

The auditor contended the escrow fund was illegal and that the money not spent should revert to the general revenue fund for regular appropriation. State Atty. Gen. W. W. Barron countered the argument with a statement that the Legislature in effect had provided for the fund in the passage of bills setting up the property revaluation program.

"It was wicked legislation, I'd say," Sims retorted.

Sims moved to have $185,800 allocated for athletics at West Virginia University stricken from the document and added to the Industrial School for Boys account.

"It's needed more at that school than at the university to pay for boys traveling around when they should be in school," Sims declared.

The motion died for a lack of a second.

Sims also asked that a covering letter approved by the board to be sent to the Legislature include requests for more money to the treasurer's office, the attorney general's office and the auditor's office. This brought a quick reply from Agriculture Commissioner John T. Johnson.

"If you're going to do that I want my department included," Johnson added. "I've got to have $20,000 more for the 'livestock' tuberculosis program because the federal government is cutting its allocations from 60 to 25 per cent and I need $10,000 more for the oak wilt program."

After a brief pause, Johnson added.

"Anyway, I think it's all covered in the letter where we say if the Legislature can provide additional money we'll talk to them about where it should go."

Then State Treasurer Orel J. Seen added:

"That gives us a chance to do our lobbying with the Legislature."

So Versatile

by Laura Wheeler

A lovely apron round the house, so practical a coverall — cool for sunning in summer.

Sew-easy — quick to iron — apron opens flat! Pattern 897: transfer of pocket design. Misses' sizes small (10-12); medium (14-16); large (18-20). State size.

Send **Thirty-five Cents** (coins) for this pattern — add 5 cents for each pattern for 1st-class mailing. Send to **Cumberland News**, 39 Needlecraft Dept., P. O. Box 161, Old Chelsea Station, New York 11, N.Y. Print plainly **Name, Address, Zone, Pattern Number, Size.**

Send for a copy of 1959 Laura Wheeler Needlecraft Book. It has lovely designs to order: embroidery, crochet, knitting, weaving, quilting, toys. In the book, a special surprise to make a little girl happy—a cut-out doll, clothes to color. Send 25 cents for this book.

Sleek And Shapely

by Marian Martin

Trust this shapely outfit to give you the loveliest figure for the least sewing. Sheath jumper has new Empire look; blouse is the perfect complement. Tomorrow's pattern: Misses' dress.

Printed Pattern 9010: Misses' Sizes 10, 12, 14, 16, 18. Size 16 jumper takes 2½ yards 39-inch fabric; blouse takes 2⅛ yards.

Printed directions on each pattern part. Easier, accurate.

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Pest Control for City Properties

Sealed bids, addressed to the Mayor and City Council of Cumberland, Maryland, will be received at the office of the City Clerk, City Hall, Cumberland, Maryland, until 10:00 A. M. January 12, 1959, for Pest Control for the City Dump, City Warehouse, City Hall and Public Safety Building. On said date bids will be opened and read in public meeting of the Mayor and City Council.

The Mayor and City Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF CUMBERLAND
By: JOHN J. LONG,
Commissioner of Streets and Public Property

Adv.—N-T Dec. 24-25-26

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Allegany County, Maryland, letters of administration on the estate of Harry Eugene Kooken, late of Allegany County, Maryland, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof duly authenticated, to the subscriber on or before the 9th day of June, 1959. They may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. All persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Given under my hand this 9th day of December, 1958.

Horace P. Whitworth, Jr.,
Administrator,
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Adv.—N Dec. 11-18-25 Jan. 1

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THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That the subscribers have obtained from the Orphans' Court of Allegany County, Maryland, letters of Administration on the estate of Lester Lee Green, late of Allegany County, Maryland, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof duly authenticated, to the subscriber on or before the 9th day of June, 1959. They may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. All persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

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Adv.—N Dec. 11-18-25 Jan. 1

Morris Baron, Attorney named in Mortgage vs. John H. Twigg, widower. No. 25, 408 Equity. In the Circuit Court, for Allegany County.

ORDER NISI

ORDERED this 9th day of December, 1958, by the Circuit Court for Allegany County, in Equity, that the sale made and reported by Morris Baron, Attorney named in the mortgage filed in this cause, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 10th day of January, 1959; provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper published in Allegany County, once a week for three successive weeks before the 3rd day of January, 1959.

The report states that the amount of sale is $3,550.00.

/s/ Joseph E. Boden
Clerk

TRUE COPY; TEST:
Joseph E. Boden, Clerk
Adv.—N Dec. 11-18-25

ORDER NISI

IN THE MATTER OF THE SALE OF THE REAL ESTATE OF IRENE M. KARNS, DECEASED. IN THE ORPHAN'S COURT OF ALLEGANY COUNTY, MARYLAND.

Ordered this 9th day of December, 1958, by the Orphans' Court of Allegany County, Maryland, that the sale of Real Estate made by James R. Karns and Harold E. Naughton, executors of Irene M. Karns, late of said County and State, deceased, and reported to the Orphans' Court on this 9th day of December, 1958 be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 9th day of January, 1959, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Allegany County, Maryland, once a week for three successive weeks before the 2nd day of January, 1959.

The report states the amount of sale to be $2,000.00.

William C. Abbott
J. French Van Meter
Hugh Stevenson
Judges of the Orphans' Court

True Copy
Test: A. Charles Stewart,
Register of Wills
Adv.—N Dec. 11-18-25

ASSIGNEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE KNOWN AS NO. 152 BOWERY STREET, FROSTBURG, MARYLAND.

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage which is recorded among the Mortgage Records of Allegany County, Maryland, in Liber No. 325, folio 288, which mortgage is now in default in the covenants and conditions thereof, the undersigned Assignee of said Mortgage will sell at public auction in front of the Gunter Hotel, West Main Street, in the City of Frostburg, Maryland, on

SATURDAY, JANUARY 10, 1959,
At 10:30 O'clock, A. M.,

the following lot or parcel of ground:

All that lot or parcel of ground lying and being on Bowery Street in Frostburg, Allegany County, Maryland, known as Lot No. 6 of Block No. 24 of Beall's First Addition to the Town of Frostburg, and being the same property which was conveyed to Bernard O. Finzel and Doris M. Finzel, his wife, by deed of Clarence Chaney, et ux, dated October 8, 1956, and recorded among the Land Records of Allegany County, Maryland, in Liber No. 283, folio 265.

The above lot fronts 50 feet on Bowery Street and runs back for a depth of 150 feet. It is improved by a frame dwelling known as No. 152 Bowery Street, containing four rooms and bath, hot-air furnace, built-in kitchen cabinets, and a full basement with cement floor and toilet.

Terms of Sale: One-third cash on day of sale, and the balance on delivery of a good and sufficient deed to the purchaser. All taxes to be adjusted to the day of sale.

NOEL SPEIR COOK,
Assignee of Mortgage for the purpose of foreclosure.

Adv.—N-Dec. 18-25-Jan. 1-8.

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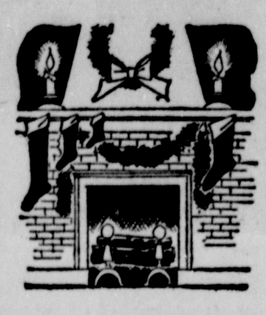

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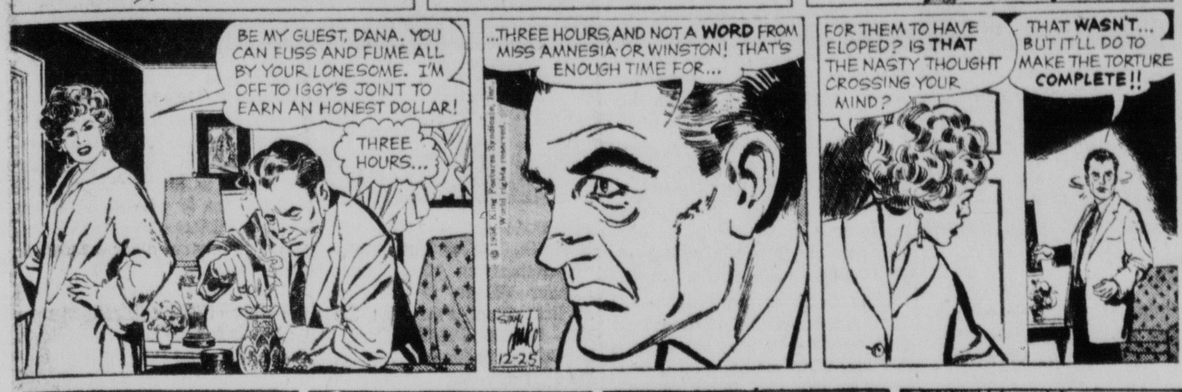

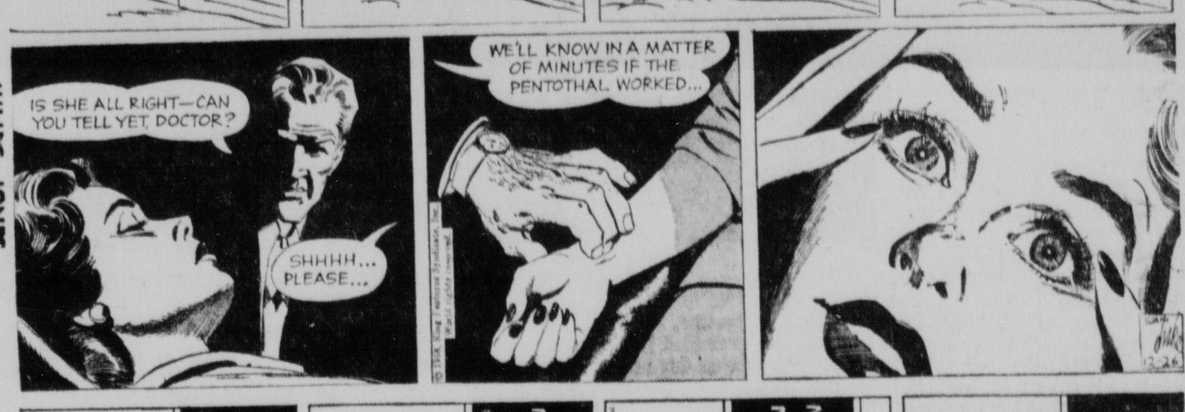

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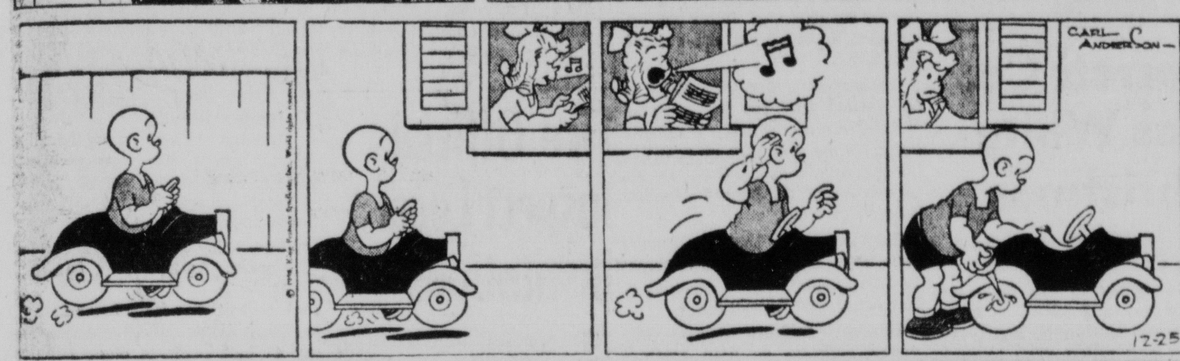

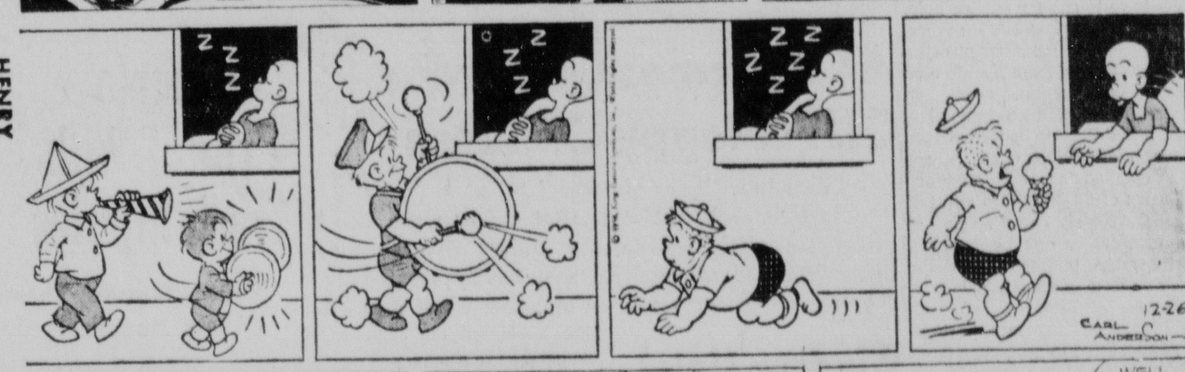

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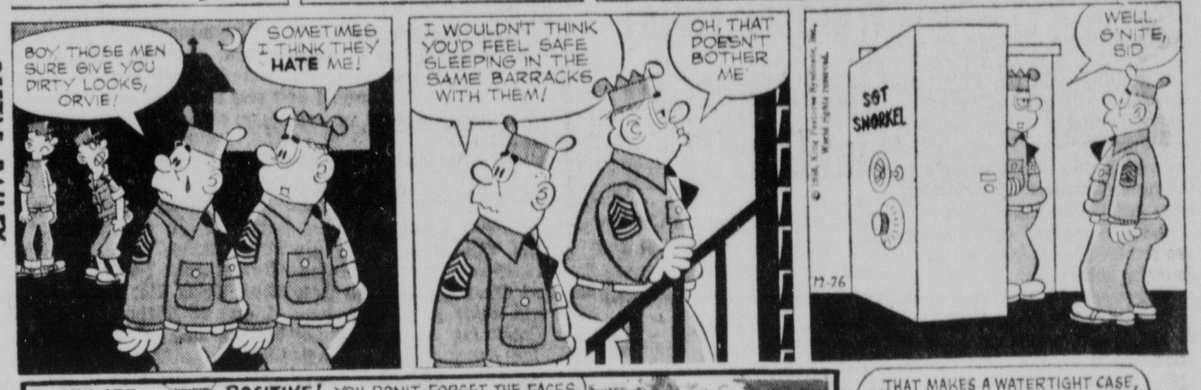

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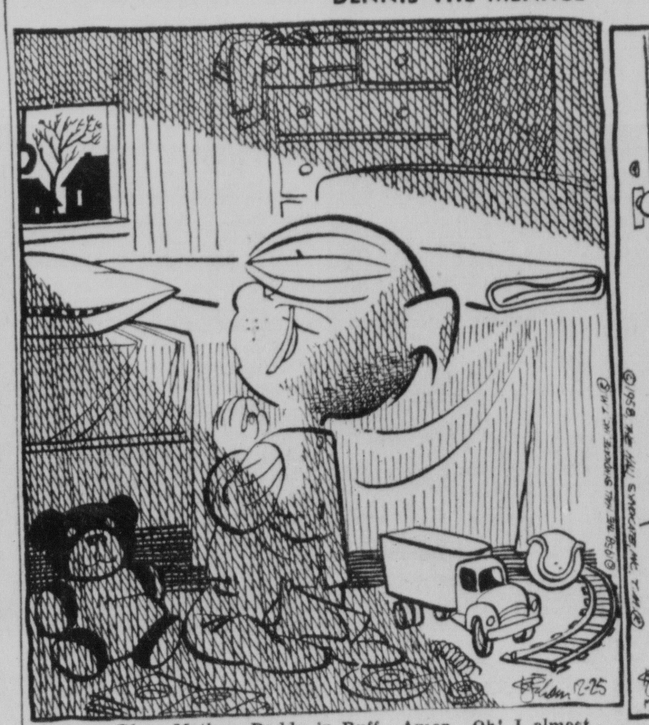

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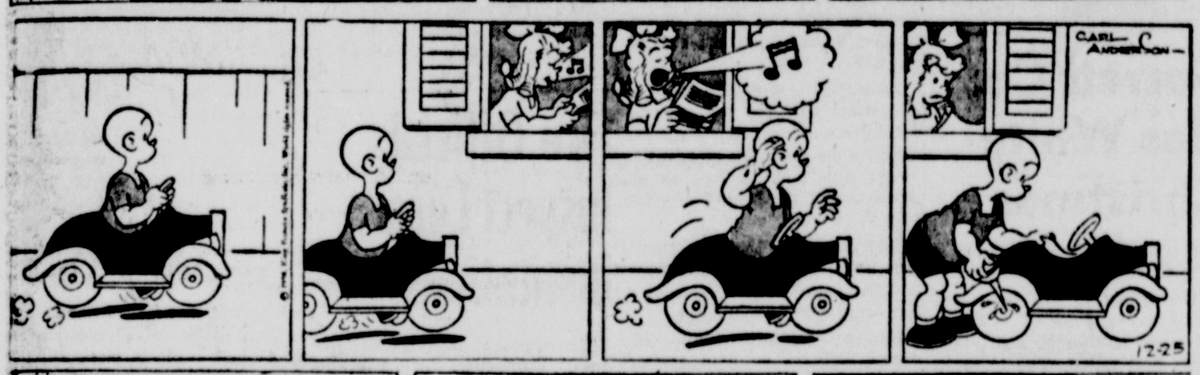

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". . . Bless Mother, Daddy 'n Ruff. Amen. Oh! I almost forgot! MERRY CHRISTMAS!"

"I'm goin' over to the Wilsons. I gotta get some sleep!"

Hyndman Faces Another Crisis This Christmas

Town's Water Supply Is Nearly Depleted

A critical shortage of water has resulted in a state of emergency for the town of Hyndman, Pa. this Christmas.

The water problem in Hyndman is a grim reminder of that unhappy Christmas nine years ago when a fire raged through the town, destroying about half the buildings there.

Burgess Walter F. Miller said yesterday he declared the state of emergency December 13. Since that time, with the cooperation of the people, the water level has remained fairly stable.

Mr. Miller said restrictions have been placed on the use of water in homes and schools, and the Hyndman Volunteer Fire Company has made emergency provisions for the pumping of water from Wills Creek in the event of a serious fire.

One Reservoir Nearly Dry

The town depends on two reservoirs for its water supply and one of these is nearly dry. The main reservoir has a 15-foot depth and Mr. Miller said there is only six feet of water left.

The burgess said if the water level in the main reservoir should drop suddenly, the community may have to ask for outside help. He said this happened several years ago when a similar crisis necessitated aid from a state civil defense organization.

The Hyndman fire company has used a bulldozer to carve out four places along Wills Creek where the company's two auxiliary pumpers could be set up and put to work. Nearly every section of the community can be supplied with water pumped from the creek in case of an emergency.

Reminder of 1949

Hyndman citizens are particularly interested in protection from fire because of the tragedy experienced there nearly a decade ago, on Christmas Day, 1949.

Mr. Miller said the water restrictions will remain in effect until the situation shows considerable improvement. He noted that the runoff of surface water into the reservoirs in recent weeks has been practically non-existent.

The chief steps to conserve water involved staggering of washdays in homes and shutting off the showers in the Hyndman-Londonderry Township Joint High School, which uses water from the borough supply.

Praises Citizens

Mr. Miller praised the residents of the town for their efforts to conserve the precious water supply. He added everyone realizes the seriousness of the situation and is doing his part until relief is obtained.

Every effort is being made to acquaint the public with the problem. Posters have been put up throughout the community, announcements have been made in the churches and a sound truck has been used to make appeals for compliance with the restrictions and general conservation of water.

The town of Barton, Md., and other small communities in Somerset County, Pa., are also facing critical water shortages because of the dry fall and recent extreme cold weather.

CUF's Brightest Christmas Gifts

Thousands of healthy, happy, wholesome youngsters are the brightest gifts presented to their communities by County United Givers. Symbolizing this united effort in the interests of youth, the youngsters of the Keating Memorial Day Nursery, a CUF agency, are shown as they greeted Santa Claus at their annual Christmas party. Although all agencies make a special effort at Christmastime, it is the purpose of CUF to bring Christmas cheer to those who need it every day of the year.

Theodore Roosevelt Once Banned Christmas Trees But Sons Thwarted Him

By ALBERT D. DARBY
News Staff Writer

Theodore Roosevelt, who as 26th President of the United States gained recognition as the first conservationist in the White House, was so troubled about the practice of cutting evergreens for Christmas that he attempted to forbid their use in the White House.

One year, however, Archie and Quentin, two of his sons, smuggled a Christmas tree into the White House and set it up in Archie's room.

President Roosevelt's friend and adviser on conservation measures, Gifford Pinchot, assured the President that the supervised and proper harvesting of Christmas trees was good for the forests. From then on the White House had a tree.

This incident is considered significant this year because the 100th anniversary of the birth of Theodore Roosevelt is being observed throughout the nation this year.

Forestry leaders embhasize that forestry looks not only to the perpetuation but also to the wise use of woodlands. By careful selection of the trees to be cut, it is possible to obtain evergreen trees without harming the forests.

Often there is positive benefit from proper cutting of trees, as it is possible to thin out stands of young trees for fuel and obtain faster growth and better returns in saw timber from the remaining trees.

If properly directed, there is no reason why the joy associated with the Christmas evergreens may not be a means of arousing in the minds of children an appreciation of the beauty and usefulness of trees.

Historians say that the Christmas tree tradition was brought to this country as an offshoot of the American Revolution.

Hessian soldiers from Germany, fighting as paid soldiers for the British, softened their homesickness during the American Revolution by trimming Christmas trees.

Some historians trace the custom of lighting the Christmas tree to Martin Luther, who lived from 1483 until 1546. The story is told that he was strolling through the countryside alone one Christmas Eve under a brilliant starlit sky and his thoughts turned to the nativity of the Christ child. He was awed by the beauty of the heavens and the wintry landscape.

When he returned home, Luther told his family about it and attempted to reproduce the glory of the outdoors. To a small evergreen tree he attached some lighted candles so as to portray the reflection of the starry heaven, or so the story goes.

Trimmings on the early Christmas trees in this country consisted primarily of small tufts of cotton and strings of popcorn and cranberries. Other decorations were flowers, replicas of foodstuffs, paper ornaments and the like — no factory-made ornaments, tinsel, electric lights or baubles.

MISSILEMAN — Peter P. Horwath, son of Mrs. Dorothy Robertson, 10 D, Jane Frazier Village, is stationed at Broughton, Pa., with the 18th Guided Missile Group. He enlisted in the Army at the local recruiting office in August and completed basic training at Fort Jackson, S. C.

City Building Permits Valued At $2,740,727

1959 May Be Banner Construction Year

Building permits issued by the City of Cumberland this year total $2,740,727, according to records of the City Engineer.

This is over a million dollars more than during any of the last three years.

City building permits totaled $1,023,752 last year as home and commercial construction lagged a bit.

During 1956, permits issued in the city limits totaled $1,410,066 and the figure was slightly higher, $1,481,986 during 1955.

Face Banner Year

There are a number of indications that 1959 may be a banner construction year here.

For one thing, the completion of the Cumberland-Ridgeley flood control will give an incentive to downtown business establishments to plan for the future.

The construction of the Cumberland Thruway, which began this year in South Cumberland, will be sure to provide many additional business sites and is expected to open other areas for residential use.

Also planned early in 1959 is the start on the city's third public housing project in the Oldtown Road area, and the completion of the educational building of St. Paul's Lutheran Church will pave the way for the demolition of the present sanctuary which is to be the site of the new Darling Shop.

December Is Slow

December was a generally slow month for construction starts, as only four permits with a total value of $47,100 were issued. They included two residences, a storage building and the business office for a parking lot.

A permit was issued yesterday to Howard Taylor to erect a 30 by 45 foot concrete block repair shop at 722 Greene Street. The structure was estimated to cost $2,185.

A Christmas Gift From CUF: Happy Children

"Christmas is for children."

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